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COURT SATURDAY

SPECIAL TERM WILL TAKE UP CASES THEN.

W. H. CRAWFORD JUDGE

Cecil Stackhouse Pleaded Guilty, But Sentence Was Withheld—Sheriff Reported Fines Collected.

The special term of circuit court adjourned late Tuesday afternoon until Saturday, December 28. On Tuesday the court listened to the legal points in connection with the Younger case, and this case will come up probably at a later term of court. There are many fine legal points in connection with the case, and the only question among the creditors is who is to be the one that will get his money.

In the case of P. L. Gowney vs. Jeremiah Vaughn, contract, motion for change of venue sustained and W. H. Crawford selected to sit in the case. Cause to be tried Saturday.

Maurice B. Sherlock and John Nunnelly vs. Anderson Craig, plaintiffs, dismissed case and the defendant paid \$125 over to the plaintiffs and all costs. The suit was for \$154.62, and the jury returned a verdict for \$125.

R. I. Bilby vs. Burlington, cause continued on motion for new trial.

George C. Trusty vs. John Harbisher et al., cause re-submitted and finding for plaintiff.

Anna Miller, administrator of the estate of John H. Miller vs. Allen Bros., order granting new trial set aside and cause continued on motion for new trial.

Sheriff Tilson reported the collection of \$431 in fines.

Cecil Stackhouse, who was brought back Tuesday from California, pleaded guilty in court late Tuesday afternoon to forgery. Bail was fixed at \$500. The court withheld sentence until a later date. Stackhouse's mother recently died at Guilford.

Marriage Licenses.

Raymond E. Moore.....Maryville
Celia E. Long.....Maryville
Paul Winters.....Barnard
Ruth Cook.....Bolekov
Barry O. Porter.....Kansas City
Lela C. Smith.....Maryville
Russell A. Rowlett.....Bigelow
Pearl LaVern Carver.....Guilford
John E. Rush.....Fairfax
Lena B. Robinson.....Barnard
C. E. Headrick.....Burlington Junction
Ada S. Aarhe.....Burlington Junction
Harry E. Hakes.....Clarinda, Ia.
Eddie M. Ankeny.....New Market, Ia.
Travis Rogers.....Edmond, Okla.
Rosa Mae Scott.....Pickering

Three Weddings by Rev. Miller.

Raymond E. Moore of Maryville and Celia Long of Maryville were married by Rev. C. J. Miller at his home, on West Third street, Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock. They will live on a farm seven and a half miles from Maryville. They were attended by Douglas Hoshor and Miss Hardisty.

Mr. Russell Albert Rowlett of Bigelow, Mo., and Pearl LaVira Carver of Guilford, Mo., were married Christmas eve at 6:30 o'clock at the home of Rev. and Mrs. C. J. Miller, Rev. Miller officiating. They will live near Mailand.

Clarence E. Headrick and Ada Gertrude Archer of Burlington Junction were married Christmas day in the parlors of the Christian church by the pastor, Rev. C. J. Miller.

Mrs. Layman's Mother Died.

Mrs. C. Layman returned Christmas day from Mason City, Ill., where she was called several weeks ago by the illness of her mother, Mrs. N. R. Taylor, whose death occurred the 16th of December. Mrs. Taylor was 82 years old last September. She is survived by nine children, forty-four grandchildren, twenty-three great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

On Visit to Mother.

Mrs. S. D. Harkness and son will leave Thursday evening for Kimball, S. D., to spend a week with Mrs. Harkness' mother, Mrs. J. B. Long.

Christmas in St. Joseph.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Egley and son spent Christmas in St. Joseph, the guests of Mrs. Novia Lowe.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Snyder and daughter of St. Joseph, spent Christmas in Maryville with Mrs. Snyder's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Wright. Mr. Wright, who has been very ill, was reported as better Thursday morning.

GIVEN TEN DAYS IN JAIL.

Fourteen-Year-old Boy at Ravenwood, Charged With Petit Larceny, Given Jail Sentence on Christmas.

Clarence Marker, a 14-year-old boy of Ravenwood, charged with petit larceny, was sentenced to ten days in the county jail by Justice C. C. Tebow of Ravenwood on Christmas. Marker is charged with taking several articles, such as a union suit of underwear, neckties and clothes brushes from the buggy of Walker Oglesby, who resides near that town.

REVIVAL AT HARMONY.

Mr. Norman H. Camp of Chicago Will Assist Rev. C. R. Green in the Meetings.

A revival meeting will be commenced at Harmony church, northeast of Maryville, January 1, by the pastor, Rev. C. R. Green.

Dr. Norman H. Camp of Chicago, a personal friend of the pastor, will preach and have charge of the services. Dr. Camp is one of the greatest men in evangelistic work in the country. He has been at the head of the evangelistic work of the Moody school of Chicago for several years and the Harmony church neighborhood may be congratulated upon having the services of so eminent a man. Everybody is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

Communication

Editor Democrat-Forum: I would like very much to tell your readers of two men with whom I talked last Saturday. In canvassing for votes in favor of the bond issue, many different arguments were presented, but the attitude of two men may be considered as typical.

One man was furious in his denunciation of the proposition. "A graft, pure and simple. Vote \$50,000 in bonds for a half dozen men to fatten their pockets? Not much! I brought four men to town who voted against it and I'll get other before night." Evidently he did. Misery loves company.

Shortly after this I was talking with a young man whom I have known a number of years. He had not considered the subject very much, and at first said he would not vote. After I presented the proposition to him as I saw it he consented to go down and vote for it. Just before we reached the voting place we met his father. After discussing the weather, etc., I asked Mr. Blank how he stood on the proposition. He looked at me a moment and, with a quiet smile, replied: "I am getting to be an old man, but in all my life I never voted against any proposition to increase taxation. And a little later he said: 'And I never have regretted it.'"

Comment from me is unnecessary. Let us see to it that the one class be led to see the error of their ways before a similar proposition is presented again. LAWRENCE E. OGDEN

Visiting in Topeka.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bolin are spending Christmas week with relatives at Topeka, Kan., and will visit other relatives at Clyde, Kan., before their return.

Here From Concordia.

F. P. Olney of Concordia, Kan., arrived in Maryville Christmas day to visit his mother, Mrs. Gneit Olney, and F. W. Olney.

Christmas in St. Joseph.

Mrs. N. F. Humber, 206 South Main street, spent Christmas day in St. Joseph, the guests of her sister, Mrs. G. W. Bowmer, and family.

Christmas at Omaha.

Miss Elfreida Dueker of Pickering went to Omaha Tuesday morning for a Christmas visit with her sister, Miss Ottilia Dueker, and an aunt, who are nurses in the Nebraska Methodist hospital at Omaha. Miss Dueker's aunt is superintendent of nurses in the operating department.

Messrs. Mark and William Dalrymple of Pickering went to Kansas City Tuesday evening to spend Christmas with their brother, C. H. Dalrymple, who is foreman of the steel silo factory at Kansas City, Kan.

Dr. and Mrs. George Glaze and daughter were Christmas guests of Mr. Glaze's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Glaze.

Charles Caldwell of Burlington Junction, a Missouri state university student, was the Christmas day guest of Fleming Carpenter.

NODAWAY SECOND

SALINE WAS BANNER CORN COUNTY THIS YEAR.

IT WAS A RECORD YEAR

What Twelve Counties in the State Did—Blue Grass a Big Factor in Prosperity and Fertility of State.

Nodaway county was one of the banner corn counties in the state in 1912, according to statistics gathered by the state board of agriculture. This county went above the five million bushel mark. Saline county was the banner county, having produced 6,413,364 bushels of corn.

Other counties going over the five million mark were Atchison, Pettis and Johnson. Seven others each produced more than four million bushels; Audrain, Carroll, Harrison, Lafayette, Livingston, Callaway and Cass counties. The best average yield an acre was made in Cooper county, where corn made forty-five bushels. Lafayette came next with forty-four bushels and Carroll third with forty-three.

The twelve best producing counties in the state, according to the board's figures, grew one-fourth as much corn as the entire state of Indiana, practically the same as either Michigan or Wisconsin, more than one-fourth as much as either Nebraska or Kansas, one-third as much as the entire state of Texas, one-half as much as Oklahoma and more than all of Arkansas. The combined output of twenty corn growing states is less than that of these dozen best Missouri counties.

Eleven counties in the state produced more than half a million bushels of wheat each. Platte county is first with 908,293, or nearly a million bushels. Carroll, Lafayette and Saline each produced more than eight hundred thousand bushels.

Missouri grew more blue grass this year upon all of the states north of its southern boundary or all of the states south of its southern boundary. The board points out that this crop is one of the state's greatest sources of wealth, since it feeds millions of animals and constantly contributes to the fertility of the soil. The grass seed crop in the state this year was the greatest in the history of Missouri.

RETURNED HOME CHRISTMAS.

The Robinsons Back From Chicago, Where They Had Their Son Taking Treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. James B. Robinson and son, James B., Jr., returned Christmas morning from Chicago, where the son has been for four weeks taking treatment at the Pasteur institute. The young boy was bitten by a mad dog the day before Thanksgiving, but it was not known until several days later that the dog was mad. He was taken to Chicago at once.

WENT TO JEFFERSON CITY.

Mayor Robey Took Water Bonds to That Place to Have Them Registered.

Mayor Arthur S. Robey left Thursday morning for Jefferson City, where he took the water bond issue of \$100,000 to have them registered at the state auditor's office. The bonds will then be brought back and placed in the hands of the Commerce Trust company of Kansas City, who purchased the issue. It is expected that the transfer of the water plant to the city will not be made until the latter part of next week.

GUILFORD.

Robert M. Cordill, cashier of the Bank of Guilford, was the Sunday guest of Maryville friends.

The Hocker lake is the scene of moonlight skating parties every night. Everybody seems to be enjoying this delightful sport to the limit.

Miss Lela Crockett was the winner of the gold medal in the Demorest medal contest at the Lafayette Baptist church Saturday night. A very large crowd was in attendance and an excellent program of music was given in connection with the program by the contestants.

The Epworth League of the M. E. church gave a splendid Christmas program Sunday evening under the leadership of Miss Blanche Whiteford.

Mrs. Harry Brumbaugh and daughter went to Des Moines, Ia., Monday to spend Christmas with Mrs. Brumbaugh's mother, Mrs. Florence Des Moines. The holiday from her musical

WILL WATCH IT IN

YEAR 1913 TO BE GIVEN WELCOME AT METHODIST CHURCH.

SACRED CONCERT AT 8

All the Protestant Churches Will Join in Program, Each Pastor Giving a Fifteen-Minute Talk.

The Protestant churches of the city will have a watch night service at the First M. E. church on next Tuesday night. All of these churches will take part in the services, and the program will commence at 8 o'clock and adjournment will be taken after 12 o'clock. Everyone is cordially invited to attend. The program:

8 p. m.—Sacred concert under the leadership of H. J. Becker, choir director of the Christian church. He will be assisted by musical talent from all the churches.

9 p. m.—Devotional service. This will consist of four fifteen-minute speeches by four pastors. The general theme will be:

"The Advancement of Christianity"—Through Social Service, by Rev. Gilbert S. Cox; Through Federation by Rev. S. D. Harkness; Through Evangelism, by Rev. C. J. Miller; Through Individual Conservation, by Rev. J. D. Randolph.

11:30—Sacred songs and prayers. 12:00—New Year's God-speed. Adjournment.

Rev. Lee Harrel, pastor of the First Baptist church, will not take part in the services, as he is to leave next week for a visit in Kentucky.

News of Society and Women's Clubs

Christmas Tree Tonight.

The Hum Drum club will have a Christmas tree Thursday evening at the home of Miss Glenn Hotchkiss.

Christmas Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Reynolds of West Second street were the Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Boyer, living north of Maryville.

P. E. O. Christmas Party.

Mrs. J. E. Bailey and Mrs. J. D. Richey will give a Christmas party to the P. E. O. chapter Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Bailey.

Christmas Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Dickerson and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hartness and family were Christmas dinner guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Dickerson.

Christmas Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Tobin entertained at Christmas dinner Mr. and Mrs. John Tobin and daughter of DuQuen, Ark.; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cummins and son and Charles Buhler.

Married Christmas Night.

Mr. Harry E. Hakes of Clarinda and Miss Effie M. Ankeny of New Market, Ia., were married at 6 o'clock in the evening of Christmas day at the First M. E. church, parsonage, by the pastor, Rev. Gilbert S. Cox.

Christmas Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Shoemaker, Sr., gave a family dinner Christmas day. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Shoemaker, Jr., of Oklahoma City, Mr. Oliver Bovard and Miss Esther Shoemaker.

Thursday Dinner.

Rev. and Mrs. C. H. John gave a 12 o'clock dinner Thursday. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Crane, Mr. and Mrs. Edward T. Rasmussen of Riverton, Neb.; Mrs. Belle Evans of Kansas City and Mrs. Russell H. Martin.

Elks' Christmas Dance.

One of the prettiest dances yet given at the Elks club was the one Christmas night. The room was very beautifully decorated, many Christmas bells being used and the refreshments were also carried out in the shape of bells. The music was furnished by Glen Goff.

Sheldon Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Sheldon gave a 12 o'clock dinner Christmas day. Their guests were Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Randolph, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Owens and Miss Myrtle Sheldon, who is at home on the holiday from her musical

work in Woodson institute at Richmond, Mo.

Christmas Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph W. Eversole had for their guests at Christmas day dinner Mrs. M. M. Hazelrigg, Miss Ella Hazelrigg, Mr. and Mrs. John Dempsey, Jean Elizabeth Dempsey, Mrs. Alice Lake and Miss Hazel Lake.

Family Christmas Dinner.

Mrs. Theodore L. Robinson gave a dinner Christmas to her children and their families. Her guests were Mr. and Mrs. James E. Robinson and sons Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Robinson and daughters, Dr. and Mrs. Charles T. Bell.

To Be Married New Year's Eve.

A. M. Bennett, who has been in Maryville for the past fourteen months with Raines Bros., and Miss Kathryn Pearl Brown of Warsaw, Mo., are to be married at Mr. Bennett's home, in Warsaw, on New Year's eve. They will live in Bowling Green, Mo., where Mr. Bennett has purchased a jewelry store.

Robison-Rush Wedding.

A quiet wedding took place Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Robison, near Barnard, when their daughter, Lena Bernice, was married to Mr. John E. Rush, superintendent of schools at Fairfax. Only the families and a few immediate friends were present. Elder W. M. Cobb of Bedford, Ia., officiated.

Bridgets Coming to Life.

The Bridgetts club, which has been practically dead since the summer Chautauqua season, has been awakened by the Christmas spirit, and the arrival of several of the members from college and universities for the holidays, and a winter Chautauqua next week will be one of their best events. Miss Helen Ardery of St. Joseph, who will arrive Friday to be Miss Anna Balmus' guest, will be one of the club's guests.

Christmas Dinner.

Miss Ruth Matter, a member of the Bridgetts club, and Miss Ruby Currutt, one of the Hum Drum girls, prepared and served 12 o'clock dinner on Christmas day to a company of nineteen relatives at the home of Miss Matter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Matter. Those in the company were Mr. and Mrs. Matter, Mr. and Mrs. John Z. Currutt and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Currutt, Miss Bessie Currutt, Mr. and Mrs. Burr Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Smith of Colorado.

Santa Claus Good to Them.

Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Green of the Harmony church, northeast of Maryville, were the recipients of exceedingly good and useful and comfortable Christmas remembrances from the Harmony community on Christmas day. Rev. Green was given a handsome black fur overcoat and Mrs. Green was given a beautiful set of black furs. They are delighted with their gifts and the Harmony community may know their thoughtfulness is appreciated.

Christmas Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. White entertained with a Christmas dinner and tree at their home, White Meadows, southwest of town, on Christmas day. Those present were Mrs. D. C. White, Mrs. Martha Starritt of Illinois, Mr. and Mrs. Will White, Mr. and Mrs. John White and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cast, Misses Laura White and Bernice Cast. Mrs. White was assisted in entertaining by her daughters, Dorothy and Virginia, Mrs. John White and Miss Clydell White.

Hartman Family Reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Hartman had the rare pleasure of the presence of all their children at Christmas dinner on Christmas day at their home, on East Fourth street. The company included Mrs. A. C. Forney and children and Miss Clarice Hartman of Oelrichs, S. D.; Miss Frances Hartman of Hot Springs, S. D.; Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Hartman and children, Mr. and Mrs. William Hartman and children and Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Miller of Barnard; Mr. and Mrs. S. V. Westfall and son and Miss Rena Hartman of this city. Mr. Forney will arrive in Maryville Sunday night to join his family on their Christmas visit. Misses Clarice and Frances Hartman are here for the holidays from their school work in South Dakota.

A Double Wedding.

Rev. Sappenfield of the Burlington Junction M. E. church, performed a double marriage ceremony at the church in Burlington Junction Christmas evening at 6 o'clock, the ring ser-

LIKE A JUNE DAY

CHRISTMAS ONE OF THE MOST PLEASANT IN MEMORY.

MERCHANTS ARE HAPPY

Fine Christmas Trade Pleased Dealers—Exceptionally Fine Musical Programs at the Churches.

Maryville had a very pleasant Christmas and everyone seems to be full of Yuletide and cheer and happiness. The weather was fine and it was almost like a day in June. The weather man made good his promise to give a day long to be remembered.

All of the Protestant churches held Christmas eve entertainments Tuesday evening for the children. They were largely attended and a treat was given to the children, consisting of nuts and candy. The Catholic churches in the city also had services on Christmas day, and the programs of music were unusually elaborate.

After a season of rush and hustle in business houses here the day brought rest and practically all business stores were closed during the entire day. The merchants enjoyed one of the biggest trades they ever had during the Christmas season, and buyers came from a long distance. The business men are very much pleased and encouraged over the large amount of business that was done here the last month.

All of the court house officers and city officers were closed for the day.

Only one arrest was made on Christmas. Marshal Moberly picked up a man who was intoxicated. He did not give any name and said that he was a tramp.

Home for Christmas.

Mark Basford, who is employed in the offices of the Chicago Great Western railway at Waterloo, Ia., is spending the Christmas vacation with his mother, Mrs. Anna Basford.

In Superintendent's Office.

Donald Fraser, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Fraser, has accepted a position as stenographer in the offices of the superintendent of the Burlington railway at Creston, Ia. and began his work Thursday morning.

Visitors From Nebraska.

James I. Enders and family of Ponca, Neb., arrived Monday night for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Knabb living west of Maryville. Mrs. Enders, who is an invalid, is a granddaughter of Mr. Knabb, who is also an invalid from paralysis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ansel Burns, Mr. Orland Lewis and Mr. Gale Lewis of Conception Junction formed an auto party to Maryville Monday afternoon.

Captain and Mrs. I. M. Woods are spending Christmas week in Hopkins with their son, Charles Woods, and family.

John M. Duncan of Kansas City spent Christmas day in Maryville with his parents, Prof. and Mrs. B. F. Duncan.

The Maryville Homestead and Loan Association opens its fifty-fifth series of stock January 1st, 1913.

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and Friday; slightly colder tonight.

THANK YOU

We want to express our appreciation to our friends for the patronage they have given us in the past year. Carrying as we were a larger and more varied stock than ever before, we expected an increase in trade, but the confidence shown by you has resulted in our having the largest trade in the past year we have ever had. We wish you all a more prosperous new year, and hope for a continuation of that confidence and patronage you have so generously given in the past.

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Book and Jewelry Store

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NEWS OF SOCIETY AND WOMEN'S CLUBS

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vice being used. About sixty guests were present. The contracting parties were Miss Maud L. Kone and Mr. Harry W. Cox and Miss Letha A. Erush and Mr. Ralph R. Banner. All live on farms in the vicinity of Burlington Junction and are well and favorably known. On Christmas eve at 6 o'clock Rev. Sappenfeld had a wedding at his home, Miss Lucy E. Lee and Ernest F. King of Elmo being the contracting parties.

Guests From Clyde.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Euis of Clyde were Christmas day guests of Miss Jennie Vardie.

Meets With Mrs. Jones.

The Woman's Home Missionary society of the First M. E. church will meet Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Ada Jones. All members are urged to be present.

Christmas Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Mahoney entertained at Christmas dinner Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Dougan and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Ray and family of Ravenwood, Mrs. Julia Mahoney and daughter of Kansas City.

Christmas Dinner Guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fite of East First street entertained at Christmas day dinner Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Fite, Simon and Luther Ingram of Kansas, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Reece and Mr. and Mrs. Lee DeVore.

Christmas Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Miller gave a dinner at 12 o'clock on Christmas day. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Reuillard, Miss Ruth Reuillard, Miss Lena Brown, Miss Anna Brown of Jefferson City, Miss Antoinette Craig, Rev. O. G. Matthews of Liberty, Mo., and Miss Myrtle Peters of Mariaville, Neb.

Dinners for Bride and Groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Orton Porter, the Christmas day bride and groom, were entertained at 12 o'clock dinner Thursday by Mrs. I. W. Heflin and Miss Fannie Heflin. At 6 o'clock they will be entertained at dinner by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Leuck.

Present for the Bride.

A few of the friends in Alert Rebekah lodge of Mrs. Harry Orton Porter, who was Miss Chloe Smith until noon Christmas day, went to the Smith home Wednesday evening and presented the bride a beautiful silver berry spoon as a token of love and respect. Mrs. Smith, mother of the bride, served refreshments to the guests.

For Nebraska Guest.

Miss Mary McCall was the hostess of an informal 6 o'clock dinner Christmas evening, to honor her cousin, Miss Katharyn Hagerty of Alliance, Neb. Plates were laid for Miss Hagerty.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County, ss. Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

FRANK J. CHENEY.
Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1912.
Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.
Sold by all Druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

KESSLER'S
5, 10 and 25c Store
Enamelware Sale
Saturday, 10 a. m.
17-qt. Dishpans, Tea Kettles, etc. . . . 25c

MRS. MCGILL BROKE DOWN

Gives the Real Facts in Regard to Her Case and Tells How She Suffered.

Jonesboro, Ark.—"I suffered a complete break down in health, some time ago," writes Mrs. A. McGill, from this place. "I was very weak and could not do any work. I tried different remedies, but they did me no good.

One day, I got a bottle of Cardui. It did me so much good, I was surprised, and took some more.

Before I took Cardui, I had headache and backache, and sometimes I would cry for hours. Now I am over all that, and can do all kinds of housework. I think it is the greatest medicine on earth."

In the past fifty years, thousands of ladies have written, like Mrs. McGill, to tell of the benefit received from Cardui.

Such testimony, from earnest women, surely indicates the great value of this tonic remedy, for diseases peculiar to women. Are you a sufferer? Yes? Cardui is the medicine you need. We urge you to try it.

N. B.—Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.

Miss Nelle Alkire, Mr. Joseph Saunders, Mr. Will Saunders and Mr. James F. Davis of Bolckow.

Married Christmas Eve.

Miss Ruth Cook and Mr. Paul Winters of Guilford were united in marriage Christmas eve at 6 o'clock at the M. E. church, South, parsonage by the pastor, Rev. J. D. Randolph. The bride and groom were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cook and Miss Ethel Cook of this city, whose guests they are at present. Mr. and Mrs. Winters will live on a farm near Guilford.

Christmas Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lockhart, who live on the John Vert farm, eight miles northwest of Maryville, royally entertained the following guests at 12 o'clock dinner on Christmas day: Mr. and Mrs. John Vert of Maryville, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Heflin of Wilcox, Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Guthrie and son, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Vert and son, Miss Grace Pew. The host and hostess gave their guests a happy day and were assisted in entertaining by their children.

Christmas Dinner and Tree.

Mrs. S. S. Casteel, assisted by her daughter, Miss Hazel Ritchie, gave a Christmas dinner to her children and their families on Christmas day. After dinner a beautiful Christmas tree was unveiled by the little folks that yielded bountifully of the things that bring Christmas cheer. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. George Wallace and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Green and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Mutz and son and the hostesses.

Married in St. Joseph.

Myron Sewell of Burlington Junction, a son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Sewell of this city, was married on Christmas day to Miss Juanita Cook of Mound City. They were married in St. Joseph. The young couple will make their home at Burlington Junction, where Mr. Sewell is in charge of Sewell & Carter's store.

Was Married Tuesday.

C. Del Davison of this city and Miss Margaret Christine Cain of Tarkio were married in St. Joseph Tuesday afternoon by the pastor of the First M. E. church of that city. They spent Christmas with Mr. Davison's mother, near Hopkins.

Concert Saturday Night.

The voice pupils of Mrs. J. W. McMillan will give a concert in the First Christian church of this city Saturday evening. The program will be published Friday. The concert will be free to all.

Wed at Harmony Parsonage.

Miss Edith Boyd of Gaynor and Mr. Pearl Miller of Parnell were united in marriage Tuesday afternoon at the parsonage of Harmony church, by the pastor, Rev. C. R. Green. The bride and groom were accompanied by a dozen couples of their friends.

For North Dakota Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kidd of Bedison gave a 6 o'clock dinner Christmas night in honor of Misses Grace and Mary Young of Jackal, N. D., who are visiting them. There were twenty guests and the evening was spent playing various games.

Guests From Fairfax.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Miller of Fairfax were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. Miller's mother, Mrs. John W. Schroyer and Mr. Schroyer.

Surprised Their Pastor.

The Baptist Young People's Union gathered at the home of its pastor, Rev. Lee Harrel, before his return from prayer meeting Wednesday evening and were there to wish him a merry Christmas as soon as he entered

the house. Rev. Harrel was presented a bouquet of two dozen red and white carnations. The evening was spent in telling stories and jokes and playing games. The guests indulged in a cup of chocolate and wafers before their departure.

Guests From Bolckow.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Patterson of Bolckow were Christmas dinner guests of Mrs. Elizabeth French.

Guests From Red Oak.

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Olson of Red Oak, Ia., and Harry Olson of Kansas City were Christmas day guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Luppold.

Christmas Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Gile entertained at dinner Christmas Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Anderson and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Anderson.

Thursday Evening Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Forsyth will give a Christmas dinner Thursday evening. Their guests will be Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shoemaker, Jr., of Oklahoma City, Mr. and Mrs. Frank G. Shoemaker, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand M. Townsend, Miss Esther Shoemaker, Mr. Oliver Bovard.

Christmas Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Wadley entertained at dinner Christmas day Mrs. Wadley's father, Henry Hays of St. Joseph, Mrs. Lulu Harrington and Raymond Harrington of Burlington Junction, and Mr. and Mrs. Will Saylor of Burlington Junction.

Guests at Clearmont.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Richey, Mary Margaret Richey and Mr. Albert E. Bell spent Christmas day at Clearmont with Mrs. John Clary and family. Mr. Clary is gradually recovering his health, and took a 70-mile car ride with the other members of the family Christmas afternoon.

Their Fifth Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Haller, living west of town, entertained at Sunday dinner in honor of their fifth wedding anniversary a few of Mrs. Haller's former school girl friends and their husbands. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. George Y. Burris and son, who are spending the winter with Mrs. Burris, parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Blagg, south of town; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McDowell of Burlington Junction, Mr. and Mrs. Alma Taylor and son of near Maryville, Mrs. J. F. Haller and Miss Grace Haller of Wilcox.

Entertained Friends.

Glen and Hazel Bloomfield delightfully entertained a number of their friends at their home, near Pickering.

Fraser Got A Job

Yes, he began work Tuesday morning, as a stenographer in the office of the Superintendent of the C. B. & Q., at Creston, Iowa; salary good, prospects for advancement—couldn't be better. Miss Helen Logan, ex-school teacher, goes to the Free Light Co., this city, January 1. Good place of course, better than teaching ask her. Goodson Lytle, High School class of '12. We placed him with Wood & McCaslin, lawyers; Stanberry, Mo., Dec. 16. Watch "Goody" climb.

Among others recently placed—maybe you know some of them—are: Ada V. Imboden, International Harvester Co., Omaha; Marie Bleuel, Rhodes Land and Investment Co., Burlington Junction; Katie Merrigan, Albert Lea Commercial College, Albert Lea, Minn.; Anthony Blatter, Stock Yards, Denver, Colo.; Lottie Neal, United Factories Co., Kansas City; Della Briggs, Swedish Lutheran College, St. Peter, Minn.; Gladys Beedle, Field-Lippman Piano Co., Maryville; Ralph Jamison and Mark Basford, Superintendent's office, Chicago & Great Western, Waterloo; Henry Hopper, John S. Brittain Dry Goods Co., St. Joseph; Helen Trullinger, California Paint Co., San Francisco; C. O. Lyle, Blaugas Co., Omaha; Georgia Beedle, Law Stenographer, Portland; Augusta Croy, F. & M. Bank, Stanberry; and several hundred others. Space is too limited to mention them all. We can produce a list so long that you will not take time to read it.

When the last word has been said, it remains an undisputed fact that the Maryville Business College is doing the business it started out to do. Is training and placing ambitious young men and women in the very best positions all over the United States, and that there is no other school in Northwest Missouri that is in its class. The diploma of the Maryville Business College is a synonym for "efficiency in business", and is recognized in the cities by employers of the best clerical help. The Maryville Business College has no competitors in Northwest Missouri, although there is now and then a "Commercial Department" in some college or literary school. But the "Commercial Departments" are not placing anyone in positions. I say, "The Maryville Business College has no competition in Northwest Missouri. Because there is no other school delivering the same grade of goods".

To the thousand former patrons, I gladly acknowledge the zeal and interest taken in our school, and to all others who are looking for the best in business education. I am pleased to say that the present year is our banner year, both in attendance and in the efficiency of our work, and that I can today promise greater and better results than ever before. Every detail of work now is under my personal supervision, and I know that we are getting results such as we never got before.

Our mid-winter term begins, Monday, December 30, and promises to bring a larger number of young men from the country than ever before. This is the school for the young men who can spend only two or three months, because they will get here something that will be of real benefit. While to the young man or woman who expects to prepare for professional business life, it unquestionably offers the best, and the success of the pupils who pass through it attests the utility of the instruction given.

New pupils will please report to me upstairs, after eight, Monday morning.

Respectfully,

E. S. Cook

Guests From North Dakota.

Misses Mary and Grace Young of Jackie, N. D., are visiting the families of W. W. Kidd and J. F. Kidd of Bedison.

NEW YEAR POST CARDS.

From 1c up. Crane's book and jewelry store.

Misses Mollie and Lou Henderson and Miss Bessie Webster were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Allen and family.

Christmas and Anniversary Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Hopper gave a 12 o'clock dinner on Christmas day to observe their wedding anniversary, which is also Mrs. Hopper's birthday anniversary. The guests were Mrs. Clara Hurdie of Pueblo, Col.; R. A. Hopper of Rocky Ford, Col.; Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Hopper, Miss Hazel Hopper, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Hopper, Mrs. Lois Long, Miss Gladys Hard of this city; Mrs. Fannie Shaw of Norfolk, Neb.; Mr. and Mrs. E. O. James and son of Elmo, Mr. Arva Goodman of Coin, Ia.; Miss Margaret Hopper of Elmo and Miss Marie Hopper.

The Smith-Porter Wedding.

Miss Chloe Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Smith, living at 321 West Cooper street, was united in marriage Christmas day at noon to Mr. Harry Orton Porter, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Porter of Kansas City. Rev. Gilbert S. Cox of the First M. E. church performed the ceremony. As the bride and groom came into the parlor and took their places under a large Christmas bell, and before an altar benched with palms, ferns and mistletoe, the Lohengrin wedding march was played by Mrs. Gilbert S. Cox. The ring ceremony was used, the ring being carried in the heart of a white calla lily by Mary Elizabeth Selecman, a 3-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Selecman. The bride's gown was of white silk voile with trimmings of pearl and macramé lace, and she carried a bouquet of bride's roses. After the ceremony a three-course luncheon was served by the bride's mother. Mr. and Mrs. Porter will make their home at 5203 Wilburn court, Kansas City, and will leave for that place Saturday morning. The wedding guest list included Rev. and Mrs. Gilbert S. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shroyer, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Eversole, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Heflin, Mrs. I. W. Heflin, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Leuck, Miss Fannie Heflin, Miss Stella McDowell, Miss Irene Swinford, Miss Nellie Alkire, Miss Anna Bartram, Emmet Bartram, Mrs. S. G. Selecman, Mary Elizabeth Selecman, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Osborn of Elgin, Neb.; Mr. and Mrs. Leo Butler, and Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Yeomans.

Visiting in Lawrence.

Mrs. J. C. Farrar and son, Stewart Farrar living north of Maryville, went to Lawrence, Kan., Tuesday morning to spend Christmas with Mrs. Farrar's daughter, Mrs. W. B. Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jones went to St. Joseph Tuesday to spend Christmas with John Jones and family.

WHY NOT TRY POPHAM'S ASTHMA REMEDY

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Our invoice commences January 1,
1913. We believe we can do better by
giving our trade the benefit of

20 per cent Discount

on all of our merchandise (except Diamonds, Howard and Hamilton Watches, Big Ben Alarm Clocks, and "Victor" and "Edison" goods).

Our purchases for the holidays were large, our business was large for which we thank you—but our stock is still large. Our lines are marked in plain figures. Come and see us.

Deschauer

'ALL EMPIRE COUPONS MUST BE HANDED IN BY JANUARY 1st, 1913. CHANGING COLORS.

Did You Cut The Coupon?

DID you get the sample package of Northern Light Buckwheat Flour?

If not, watch for Thursday's paper! There will be one more chance to test this superfine Self-Rising Flour at our expense; the flour that saves you work, and worry and waste—

Northern Light SELF-RISING Buckwheat Flour

Everybody will love to eat the pancakes because of their delicious flavor; everybody will find them wholesome and digestible; supplying the best nourishment of the most nutritious of grains, with a nutty flavor and appetizing tang.

And you who prepare the pancakes will be delighted at the ease and simplicity of the process. No "night-before" bother. At breakfast time, add milk or water and stir into fine batter—self-rising, salted to perfection. Lots of food-value at little cost.

For sale at all dealers—remember the coupon—Thursday

Northern Light Milling Co.,
Owatonna, Minn.



Don't You Owe Yourself a Trip to Florida?

Why don't you come in or drop me a line and find out how you can live comfortably and without too much expense in Florida this winter?

When you think that the flowers are blooming luxuriantly, and the fruit is ripening on the trees down there with the thermometer 76 degrees above at the same time it is—no telling where—here, why the idea of spending a few weeks in that country during the winter, if it can be done at moderate cost, is worth thinking about.

Now, it's my business to furnish travelers with whatever information they may wish about Florida, and if you will drop me a line I will very gladly help you all I can and be glad to do it.

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Route

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The J. M. Rice 120-acre farm, 4 1/2 miles south of Maryville, on the Savannah road, 1 1/2 miles to church, 1/4 mile to school, 7-room house, good barn and other outbuildings, fenced and cross-fenced, one of the best farms in the county. Not a rod of waste land on the place. For price and particulars inquire of the administrators.

Robert L. Rice
Pickering.

Charles H. Rice
On the place.

FOR SALE

Saturday, December 28, 1912, forty acres of timber land, 2 1/2 miles southeast of town, N. W., S. E., section 27, township 64, range 65. To be sold at the west door of the court house, Saturday, December 28, 1912, for cash, to the highest bidder. This land is the only timber left on the 102 river. The timber could be cut off and it would pay for the land. It will be a bargain for some one. Washington Hoshor's estate.

Automobile Insurance

I have just accepted an agency that protects all lines, any where, all the time, at minimum cost. Fire, theft, accident and property damage. No man can afford a car without protection. See me now.

CHAS. HYSLOP

PASSENGERS AND CREW ARE LANDED

Seventy-five Persons Safely
Taken Off Steamer Turrialba.

REVENUE CUTTER AT HAND.

Seneca Provides Means for Transfer From Wreck—Boat Is Resting on Bar and May Yet Be Saved—Passengers Greatly Alarmed.

New York, Dec. 26.—The fifty-seven passengers and eighteen of the crew of the United Fruit company's steamship Turrialba, ashore since Tuesday at Brigantine shoals, nine miles north of Atlantic City, N. J., arrived here on board the United States revenue cutter Seneca.

The cutter had stood by the stranded vessel all night, and the sea was smooth and the weather fair when the transfer was made and the passengers experienced little discomfort.

According to reports brought here, the Turrialba lies with propeller damaged, stern post cracked and rudder missing. With good weather the vessel will be saved, it is expected, though its cargo of bananas may have been tossed overboard.

Prepare for Drowning.

According to stories told by passengers upon reaching here, many of them prepared for death by drowning after the Turrialba, steaming through a snowstorm on its way from Panama, West Indies, to New York, grounded on the Jersey sands.

"We were reconciled to our fate," narrated Police Inspector Edward Hughes of this city, returning with his wife from a trip in search of health. "We talked about the Titanic, and we can now appreciate something of what the poor passengers on that ill-fated ship experienced."

"Everyone prayed when the storm was at its height, and those who had wives, we—well, you can think it over for yourselves, young men," he said to reporters.

"I think we struck the sandbar at 3:55 in the morning. I, among others, came out on deck to see what was the cause of the peculiar situation—the ship apparently quivering as if she was going to break. The weather was thick. It was snowing and the wind from the northeast."

EXULTATION OVER PEACE

Prediction That War Never Will Occur Again Between Anglo-Saxon People.

Belfast, Ireland, Dec. 26.—In celebration of the ninety-eighth anniversary of peace between the United States and the British empire expressions of appreciation were made by many of the leading public men in Great Britain, the United States and Canada.

Earl Grey, former governor general of Canada, wrote: "The hundred years' peace has been of untold value to the political and social development alike of Great Britain, the United States, and the Canadian dominion. We hope to have a worthy celebration of the event two years hence."

The Earl of Meath wrote: "War between the two great branches of the Anglo-Saxon race let us firmly believe to be an impossibility in the future. Such a belief will go far to make it impossible."

G. W. Wickersham, United States attorney general wrote: "The peace established between us nearly a century ago has now become not only a habit, but a condition, one which it is unthinkable should ever be altered."

WEDDING ENDS IN TRAGEDY

Man Invades Home of Wife's Mother and Begins Shooting.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 26.—A Christmas wedding ceremony at Taylorville, Ill., was converted into a tragedy and two persons are at the point of death.

John Belder, a carpenter, to avenge some grievance he is said to have entertained against his wife, shot his mother-in-law, Mrs. Emma Fisher, and battled with the Taylorville police. He was cornered and caught by a ruse. When captured it was found that Belder had been shot near the heart by one of the officers. Mrs. Fisher and Belder will die.

Mrs. Mollie Porter and Paul Porter left Tuesday morning for a short visit with relatives at St. Joseph and Hiawatha, Kan.

INDIANS WIN CROP PRIZES

Results Attributed Largely to Work of Agricultural Experts.

Washington, Dec. 26.—Officials of the Indian bureau are much pleased because at the state fair at Muskogee, Okla., a number of full blood Indians won prizes over their white competitors for exhibits of corn, cotton, beans and some other products.

Joe Kelly, a full blood Mississippi Choctaw, living near Ardmore, took first and fourth prizes for his corn and a second prize for cotton, and Silas Bacon of the same tribe carried off both first and second prizes for his fine field beans. There were other scattered prizes.

"These good results we can attribute largely to the work the expert farmers have been doing," said Acting Commissioner Abbott. "We are hoping to extend the work of these experts, who are teaching the Indian how to make the best use of his land."

Orozco's Freedom of Short Duration.

San Antonio, Dec. 26.—Colonel Pascual Orozco, father of General Pascual Orozco, leader of the Mexican revolution in the north, was released from confinement in the military prison at Fort Sam Houston, under bonds of \$2,500, on the charge of violating the neutrality laws. He was immediately rearrested by the civil authorities on a warrant in which the Mexican government charges him with larceny and robbery, alleged to have been committed in Chihuahua.

Mr. Jesse Walker of Mound City was a Christmas day guest of Miss Marie Ryers.

Mrs. Eunice Graves and daughter, Miss Bess, went to Kansas City Tuesday morning for a Christmas visit with Mrs. Floyd Wiley and family.

The Best is What Every- body Wants Nowadays

Goods must be new, fresh and dependable in every way. We claim that high grade groceries, if bought and handled right, do not of necessity have to be sold at long profits. Tomorrow we will sell—

PURE HOG LARD, 2 lbs for... 25c
Pure Hog Lard, 60-lb tub, per lb 11 1/4c
50-lb can Compound for... \$4.25
John Morrell's A No. 1 quality Bacon,
selected lean pieces, per lb... 17c
100-lb sack fine Granulated Sugar
for... \$4.90
21 lbs fine Granulated Sugar... \$1.00
Bushel No. 1 Cooking Apples for... 75c
Half bushel Turnips for... 25c
Very best grade Cabbage, 100 lbs \$1.10
Very best grade Cabbage, 50 lbs... 60c
Silver Thread Brand Sour Kraut, per
gal... 18c
New Sour Pickles, large size, gal... 25c
Diamond C Soap, 10 bars for... 25c
Mammoth Queen Olives, pint... 25c
Pearl Hominy, 8 lbs for... 25c
20 lbs fine Oregon Prunes for... \$1.00
Quart bottles Maple Syrup... 22c
Half gallon pails Country Sorghum 30c
Quart cans Pork and Beans, tomato
dressing, for... 10c
Joe Campbell's Red and White Table
Beans, 20c cans for... 11c
VanCamp's Early Red Beets, quart can
for... 8c
Choice quality Sugar Corn, 2 cans 15c;
dozen cans... 68c
allian cans Log Cabin Maple Syrup,
\$1.35 value for... \$1.00
(Limit one can to customer.)
500 lbs best quality Mince Meat, lb 10c
FANCY CREAM HIGH PATENT
FLOUR, sack, \$1.05; cwt... \$2.05
GOLD COIN FLOUR, per cwt, \$2.15;
sack... \$2.10

A word about GOLD COIN: It is the result of thirty years successful flour making. It is more carefully milled, and costs more money than any other flour. It is the cleanest, dryest, strongest flour on any market. Will produce four to eight loaves to the sack more good bread than can be made from any other brand of high grade flour. If a trial sack does not prove our assertion the money is yours. We are in position to sell GOLD COIN at less price than second and third grade flours are sold for in Maryville.

Mr. and Mrs. James Middleton entertained at Christmas dinner Al Middleton, Miss Letha McKinley, Thomas Holliday and Johnny Middleton.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Crawford of Sheridan spent Christmas in the city with Mr. Crawford's brother, W. H. Crawford.

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Choice Selection Still Left
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We need the room for other
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benefit of this big reduction

Nusbaum's

Outfitters for Men and Young Men

PUBLIC SALE

The following described property will be sold at the residence of the late A. L. Morford, 1 1/2 miles southeast of Pickering, Missouri, on

Monday, December 30

17 HEAD OF STOCK—1 Span of gray mares, smooth mouths, bred to Percheron horse; 1 7-year-old mare, bred to Percheron; 1 4-year-old horse, weight about 1,400; 1 saddle pony, safe for children, and 1 yearling horse colt. 2 registered Shorthorn milch cows, 3 coming 3-year-old heifers, eligible to registry and all giving milk, 3 helper calves, 1 male calf. 4 brood sows. FARM IMPLEMENTS, ETC.—1 wagon, buggy, corn planter, mowing machine, disc harrow, cultivator, stalk cutter, harrow, hay rake, hay rack, stirring plow, bobsled, grindstone, 1 set work harness, 1 set single harness, and other articles too numerous to mention. 25 shocks of fodder and corn, 75 bushels of oats, 1 straw stack, 6 tons of hay, 425 bushels of corn.

TERMS—Sums of \$10 and under cash; sums over \$10, a credit of nine months will be given, purchaser giving bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. No property to be removed until settled for. Lunch by the Ladies' Aid.

R. P. Hosmer, Auctioneer.
Howard Wray, Clerk.

C. R. HARMAN, Executor

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THE ONLY LARGE EXCLUSIVE CASH
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LAWS THAT LABOR WANTS

State Bureau Gets Demand from 79,814 Workers.

SEEK EIGHT-HOUR ENACTMENT

Jefferson City, Dec. 26.—With a view of establishing what legislation was wanted and needed by the 79,814 members of organized labor in Missouri, from the Forty-seventh general assembly, the bureau of labor statistics early in the present year sent a blank to the secretary of each union in the state asking the question:

"What specific state legislation would be beneficial to your membership as applied to your occupation? Answers came from every union and the work of compiling this information has just been completed and is ready to be placed before the legislature when it convenes on Jan. 8 next. Commissioner Riggs recommends the following legislation, the same being reproduced as it will appear in the report to be submitted to the general assembly:

Women's Nine-Hour Law—The women's nine-hour law should be amended as to cover every industry of the state.

Factory Inspection—An amendment should be adopted abolishing the fee system for factory inspection and making the law cover the entire state.

Roads—The better class of prison labor should be used building good roads.

Pay in Lawful Money—A law should be passed requiring all wages to be paid in lawful money.

Employers' Liability and Workmen's Compensation Laws—A law should be enacted giving workmen pay for all accidents.

Label Prison Goods.

Label Prison-Made Goods—All articles made in any penal institution of the state should be stamped "Prison Made."

Six-Day Week—A law should be passed prohibiting the working of men more than six days in any one week, excepting in emergency cases.

State Free Employment Office—A state free employment bureau should be established in Joplin, through which, in addition to the free employment, could be secured manufacturing and labor reports from the southern part of the state.

Municipalities to Buy Prison-Made Articles—A law should be passed requiring the municipalities of the state to buy articles from the prison whenever possible, to the end that there will be a sufficient demand for penitentiary-made goods to keep all prisoners at work. Unless this is done the law passed by the Forty-sixth general assembly abolishing the present convict-leasing system will be a failure.

A working day of eight hours for all occupations seems to be the legislation on which most members of organized labor agree.

WARINGA BACK TO PEN

Devoted Wife Fails to Reform Paroled Convict.

Kansas City, Dec. 26.—Despite the untiring devotion of a wife, who met and married him in the Missouri penitentiary, and since has devoted time and money to his reformation, Harry Van Waringa must return to prison to serve out an eight-year sentence for forgery.

"A perfectly developed case of constitutional immorality" was the opinion announced by two alienists appointed by Judge Porterfield to inquire into Van Waringa's sanity.

Through correspondence and personal appeals, Mrs. Van Waringa, formerly Miss Ethel Faskin, stenographer to Cornelius Roach, secretary of state, obtained Van Waringa's parole last November.

Since his parole he has been arrested twice for petty thefts.

Mogus Mince Meat Seized.

Kansas City, Dec. 26.—A local deputy United States marshal seized twelve barrels, containing 720 gallons of stuff, labeled "mince meat." Analysis by the government pure food department showed it had no meat in it, but consisted of currants and chopped apples with some kind of a filler that looked and smelled like mince meat.

Guilty of \$3,500,000 Land Fraud.

Portland, Ore., Dec. 26.—R. H. MacWhorter, a Seattle real estate broker, pleaded guilty before United States Judge Bean to using the mails to defraud in connection with the \$3,500,000 De Larm-Columbia river orchard swindle. The maximum sentence is five years and a fine of \$5,000.

Bicycle Race Arranged.

Kansas City, Dec. 26.—A six-day bicycle race, in which some of the best riders in the country will participate, will start in Convention hall, in this city, Jan. 28, according to an announcement here.

T. A. Dunn Is Dead.

Bethany, Mo., Dec. 26.—T. A. Dunn, aged fifty-nine years, prominent in Democratic politics and one of the best-known Masons in Missouri, died in a hospital in Rochester, Minn. The body will be brought here for burial.

BOMB TRIAL NEARING END

District Attorney Miller Continues His Attack Upon Kern.

WOULD NOT HURT STEEL TRUST

Miller Ridicules Statement Made by Senator That Explosions Could Not Damage Independent Contractors. Case Will Soon Be in Hands of Jury.

Indianapolis, Dec. 26.—Forty men, accused of complicity in the McNamara plots, listened to attacks upon themselves by District Attorney Charles W. Miller.

Mr. Miller detailed to the jury the story of the Los Angeles Times explosion and again referred to Senator John W. Kern, who had argued before the jury for the defense.

"Senator Kern has said that in the strike of the iron workers' union against open shop contracts it would not have been to the advantage of those men to blow up jobs," said Mr. Miller. "Senator Kern has said the jobs were those of the steel trust and it would not hurt the steel trust with its millions to damage their property. Think of a United States senator making a statement like that in a court of justice! How much money does it take to induce United States senators to make statements like that?"

"With a United States senator as counsel," continued Mr. Miller, "these defendants, a month after this trial began, published in the union magazine an article calling the trial a farce. They described a trial in the federal court as a farce! Listen to this. After referring to the indictment of these men, they published this:

"Then began the farce of a trial, a trial in which the steel trust masquerades as the government."

"And yet, when I offered to give twenty minutes of my time so that any of these lawyers might get up and say two of their clients were not guilty, no one responded. Not a lawyer dared to say two of the defendants were innocent."

The end of what has been called the most important trial of its kind ever held in the federal courts will approach tonight. Judge Anderson will instruct the jury, probably tomorrow morning. The cases of the forty men labor officials probably will then be in the hands of the jury.

EUROPEAN CROP FIGURES

Production of Sugar Beets is Larger Than Last Year.

Washington, Dec. 26.—The international institute of agriculture at Rome has reported to the department of agriculture on the year's crop figures. According to the institute the production in Germany was: Wheat, 160,227,000 bushels; rye, 456,608,000 bushels; oats, 965,999,000 bushels, and barley, 159,927,000 bushels.

Austria produced in wheat, 69,640,000 bushels; rye, 117,114,000 bushels; oats, 167,423,000 bushels, and barley, 78,384,000 bushels.

In ten European countries and Canada the production of sugar beets was 136 per cent of last year's production, but although the production of cotton is estimated by the institute to be more than 9,000,000,000 pounds in the United States, India, Japan and Egypt, this amount is nearly 4 per cent less than last year's crop.

MAN DEAD, BUT TRAIN IS SAFE

Santa Fe Employee Falls Into Quicksand Before Cars Meet with Disaster.

Streator, Ill., Dec. 26.—Henry Lohb, while employed as a track man on the Santa Fe, near the W. I. mine, on the outskirts of Streator, was engulfed when the earth under his feet gave way and he was precipitated into quicksand, which had begun to fall in to the mine workings below. Luke's companions were nearby, but he disappeared before they could reach him. Later a man was lowered by a rope into the hole, but he failed to locate Lohb. Shortly after the mishap a Santa Fe passenger train came along, but was halted in time to prevent a disaster. The roadbed had been insecure at this point for several days.

LOEB TO JOIN GUGGENHEIMS

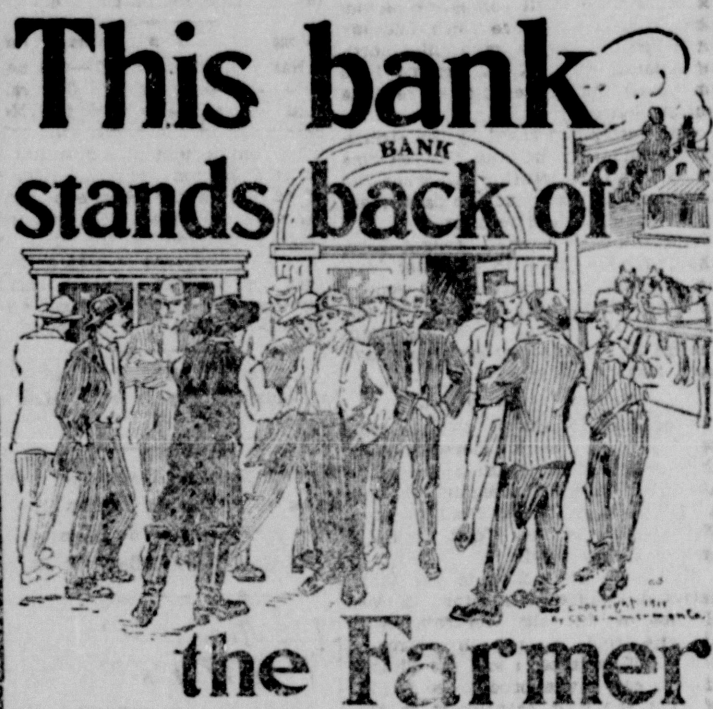
Will Resign His Post as Collector of Port of New York.

New York, Dec. 26.—William Loeb, Jr., former secretary to President Roosevelt, who has been collector of the port of New York since the last Roosevelt administration, is to resign his post early in the new year to accept an administrative position in the Guggenheim mining enterprises and development projects, according to a report published here. It is said that a salary larger than the \$12,000, which he receives at his government post, was in prospect and that from the headquarters in New York Mr. Loeb would direct the work of the Guggenheim companies in many parts of the world.

Utah Proposes Sterilization of Insane.

Salt Lake, Dec. 26.—Wholesale sterilization of persons unfit to have offspring is advocated in the biennial report of the state board of insanity and the superintendent of the State Mental hospital, which was filed with the governor.

This bank stands back of the Farmer



The Farmer and the Bank are Connected by the Closest Ties. One would be impossible without the other. This bank therefore specializes in helping the farmers at all seasons.

If you have any trouble or financial ambitions come in and let us talk it over. Several heads are better than one, and we can probably help you.

Every accommodation is afforded farmers and you are cordially invited to make this bank your headquarters when you come to town.

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MARYVILLE, MISSOURI

CAPITAL \$100,000.00
SURPLUS \$22,000.00

ALTON BANDIT IDENTIFIED

Suspects Confronted by Engineer, Fireman and Express Messenger.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 26.—"We have 'the goods' on one of these men," said Chief Detective Cain, after Jack Hart, one of Chicago and Elmer Vigus of Springfield, held in connection with the attempted robbery of the Alton "Hummer," had been confronted by Engineer McClaughlin, Fireman Sullivan and Express Messenger Ayer of the train. Cain said that later in the day he might tell which of the two he had definitely connected with the case.

Bonfires Will Greet Wilson on Trip.

Staunton, Va., Dec. 26.—With all of the arrangements practically completed, Staunton, the birthplace of Woodrow Wilson, enthusiastically awaits the arrival of its distinguished son tomorrow night, which will mark the beginning of the celebration in honor of his home-coming. The city is in gala attire for the celebration. Probably the most spectacular feature of the celebration will be the heralding of the distinguished visitor by the glare of bonfires.

Taft Inspects Panama Canal.

Panama, Dec. 26.—President Taft spent the forenoon inspecting the central and Pacific divisions of the Panama canal, the Culebra cut and the fortifications at the Pacific end of the canal. Percival H. Dodge, the American minister to Panama, entertained the president at dinner. Last night Mr. Taft attended a ball given by President Peraza.

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LOST—Right-hand fur mitt. Please leave at Democrat-Forum. 24-27

WANTED—To rent pasture land for 1913. Must be well watered. See Jos. Jackson, Jr. 26-28

FOR RENT—Rooms for light house-keeping. Inquire 314 East Fourth street. Farmers phone 62. 26-28

LOST—Gold class pin bearing letters "P. H. S." Return to Democrat-Forum office. 23-26

FOR SALE—Team of work horses. See Mrs. Fred Kinney, east end Halsey street. 23-26

WANTED—Married man wants work on farm. Address "J. A." care Democrat-Forum. 23-26

FOR RENT—A 5-room cottage with bath and electric lights, 2 blocks south of the square. F. M. Martin. 5-11

FOR SALE—Second hand phaeton, cheap. Inquire 205 East Seventh street. 12-11

FOR RENT—6-room house, corner Eighth and Fillmore streets. Inquire Glover & Alexander's mill. 24-27

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LOST—Old bay mare, blind in one eye, white around eyes and shed in front. Finder please inform B. Klapp of Bedford, Ia. 24-27

FOR SALE—Good farm wagon, good road cart, set double buggy harness. M. C. Thompson, Farmers phone 3-11. 23-30

WANTED—Men to learn auto business. Write to W. H. Whitney for particulars, in care of Mason & Wilderman garage. 9-11

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MARYVILLE, MISSOURI, THURSDAY, DEC. 26, 1912.

COURT SATURDAY

SPECIAL TERM WILL TAKE UP CASES THEN.

W. H. CRAWFORD JUDGE

Cecil Stackhouse Pleaded Guilty, But Sentence Was Withheld—Sheriff Reported Fines Collected.

The special term of circuit court adjourned late Tuesday afternoon until Saturday, December 28. On Tuesday the court listened to the legal points in connection with the Younger case, and this case will come up probably at a later term of court. There are many fine legal points in connection with the case, and the only question among the creditors is who is to be the one that will get his money.

In the case of P. L. Gowney vs. Jeremiah Vaughn, contract, motion for change of venue sustained and W. H. Crawford selected to sit in the case. Cause to be tried Saturday.

Maurice B. Sherlock and John Nunnally vs. Anderson Craig, plaintiffs, dismissed case and the defendant paid \$125 over to the plaintiffs and all costs. The suit was for \$154.63, and the jury returned a verdict for \$125.

R. I. Bibby vs. Burlington, cause continued on motion for new trial.

George C. Trusty vs. John Harbisher et al., cause re-submitted and finding for plaintiff.

Arta Miller, administrator of the estate of John H. Miller vs. Allen Bros., order granting new trial set aside and cause continued on motion for new trial.

Sheriff Tilson reported the collection of \$431 in fines.

Cecil Stackhouse, who was brought back Tuesday from California, pleaded guilty in court late Tuesday afternoon to forgery. Bail was fixed at \$500. The court withheld sentence until a later date. Stackhouse's mother recently died at Guilford.

Marriage Licenses.

Raymond B. Moore, Maryville
Celia B. Long, Maryville
Paul Winters, Barnard
Rita Cook, Bolckov
Harry O. Porter, Kansas City
Lela C. Smith, Maryville
Russell A. Rowlett, Bigelow
Pearl LaVern Carver, Guilford
John E. Rush, Fairfax
Lena B. Robinson, Barnard
C. E. Headrick, Burlington Junction
Ada S. Aatche, Burlington Junction
Harry E. Hakes, Clarinda, Ia.
Edna M. Ankeny, New Market, Ia.
Travis Rogers, Edmond, Okla.
Rose Mae Scott, Pickering

Three Weddings by Rev. Miller.

Raymond B. Moore of Maryville and Celia Long of Maryville were married by Rev. C. J. Miller at his home, on West Third street, Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock. They will live on a farm seven and a half miles from Maryville. They were attended by Douglas Hoshor and Miss Hardisty.

Mr. Russell Albert Rowlett of Bigelow, Mo., and Pearl LaVira Carver of Guilford, Mo., were married Christmas eve at 6:30 o'clock at the home of Rev. and Mrs. C. J. Miller, Rev. Miller officiating. They will live near Matland.

Clarence E. Headrick and Ada Gertrude Archer of Burlington Junction were married Christmas day in the parlors of the Christian church by the pastor, Rev. C. J. Miller.

Mrs. Layman's Mother Died.

Mrs. C. Layman returned Christmas day from Mason City, Ill., where she was called several weeks ago by the illness of her mother, Mrs. N. R. Taylor, whose death occurred the 16th of December. Mrs. Taylor was 82 years old last September. She is survived by nine children, forty-four grandchildren, twenty-three great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

On Visit to Mother.

Mrs. S. D. Harkness and son will leave Thursday evening for Kimball, S. D., to spend a week with Mrs. Harkness' mother, Mrs. J. B. Long.

Christmas in St. Joseph.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Egley and son spent Christmas in St. Joseph the guests of Mrs. Nova Love.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Snyder and daughter of St. Joseph, spent Christmas in Maryville with Mrs. Snyder's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Wright. Mr. Wright, who has been very ill, was reported as better Thursday morning.

GIVEN TEN DAYS IN JAIL.

Fourteen-Year-old Boy at Ravenwood, Charged With Petit Larceny, Given Jail Sentence on Christmas.

Clarence Marker, a 14-year-old boy of Ravenwood, charged with petit larceny, was sentenced to ten days in the county jail by Justice C. C. Tebow of Ravenwood on Christmas. Marker is charged with taking several articles, such as a union suit of underwear, neckties and clothes brushes from the buggy of Walker Oglesby, who resides near that town.

REVIVAL AT HARMONY.

Mr. Norman H. Camp of Chicago Will Assist Rev. C. R. Green in the Meetings.

A revival meeting will be commenced at Harmony church, northeast of Maryville, January 1, by the pastor, Rev. C. R. Green.

Dr. Norman H. Camp of Chicago, a personal friend of the pastor, will preach and have charge of the services. Dr. Camp is one of the greatest men in evangelistic work in the country. He has been at the head of the evangelistic work of the Moody school of Chicago for several years and the Harmony church neighborhood may be congratulated upon having the services of so eminent a man. Everybody is cordially invited to attend these meetings.

Communication

Editor Democrat-Forum: I would like very much to tell your readers of two men with whom I talked last Saturday. In canvassing for votes in favor of the bond issue, many different arguments were presented, but the attitude of two men may be considered as typical.

One man was furious in his denunciation of the proposition. "A graft, pure and simple. Vote \$50,000 in bonds for a half dozen men to fatten their pockets? Not much! I brought four men to town who voted against it and I'll get other before night." Evidently he did. Misery loves company.

Shortly after this I was talking with a young man whom I have known a number of years. He had not considered the subject very much, and at first said he would not vote. After I presented the proposition to him as I saw it he consented to go down and vote for it. Just before we reached the voting place we met his father. After discussing the weather, etc., I asked Mr. Blank how he stood on the proposition. He looked at me a moment and, with a quiet smile, replied, "I am getting to be an old man, but in all my life I never voted against any proposition to increase taxation. And a little later he said: "And I never have regretted it."

Comment from me is unnecessary. Let us see to it that the one class led to see the error of their ways before a similar proposition is presented again. — LAWRENCE B. OGDEN

Visiting in Topeka.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bolin are spending Christmas week with relatives at Topeka, Kan., and will visit other relatives at Clyde, Kan., before their return.

Here From Concordia.

P. P. Olney of Concordia, Kan., arrived in Maryville Christmas day to visit his mother, Mrs. Gnetty Olney, and E. W. Olney.

Christmas in St. Joseph.

Mrs. N. F. Hunter, 206 South Main street, spent Christmas day in St. Joseph, the guest of her sister, Mrs. G. W. Bowmer, and family.

Christmas at Omaha.

Miss Elfreida Dueker of Pickering went to Omaha Tuesday morning for a Christmas visit with her sister, Miss Ouida Dueker, and an aunt, who are nurses in the Nebraska Methodist hospital at Omaha. Miss Dueker's aunt is superintendent of nurses in the operating department.

Messrs. Mark and William Dalrymple of Pickering went to Kansas City Tuesday evening to spend Christmas with their brother, C. H. Dalrymple, who is foreman of the steel mill at Kansas City, Kan.

Dr. and Mrs. George Glaze and daughter were Christmas guests of Mr. Glaze's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Glaze.

Charles Caldwell of Burlington Junction, a Missouri state university student, was the Christmas day guest of Fleming Carpenter.

NODAWAY SECOND

SALINE WAS BANNER CORN COUNTY THIS YEAR.

IT WAS A RECORD YEAR

What Twelve Counties in the State Did—Blue Grass a Big Factor in Prosperity and Fertility of State.

Nodaway county was one of the banner corn counties in the state in 1912, according to statistics gathered by the state board of agriculture. This county went above the five million bushel mark. Saline county was the banner county, having produced 6,413,364 bushels of corn.

Other counties going over the five million mark were Atchison, Pettis and Johnson. Seven others each produced more than four million bushels; Audrain, Carroll, Harrison, Lafayette, Livingston, Callaway and Cass counties. The best average yield an acre was made in Cooper county, where corn made forty-five bushels. Lafayette came next with forty-four bushels and Carroll third with forty-three.

The twelve best producing counties in the state, according to the board's figures, grew one-fourth as much corn as the entire state of Indiana, practically the same as either Michigan or Wisconsin, more than one-fourth as much as either Nebraska or Kansas, one-third as much as the entire state of Texas, one-half as much as Oklahoma and more than all of Arkansas. The combined output of twenty corn growing states is less than that of these dozen best Missouri counties.

Eleven counties in the state produced more than half a million bushels of wheat each. Platte county is first with 998,293, or nearly a million bushels. Carroll, Lafayette and Saline each produced more than eight hundred thousand bushels.

Missouri grew more blue grass this year than all of the states north of its northern boundary or all of the states south of her southern boundary. The board points out that this crop is one of the state's greatest sources of wealth, since it feeds millions of animals and constantly contributes to the fertility of the soil. The grass seed crop in the state this year was the greatest in the history of Missouri.

RETURNED HOME CHRISTMAS.

The Robinsons Back From Chicago, Where They Had Their Son Taking Treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. James B. Robinson and son, James B., Jr., returned Christmas morning from Chicago, where the son has been for four weeks taking treatment at the Pasteur institute. The young boy was bitten by a maddog the day before Thanksgiving, but it was not known until several days later that the dog was mad. He was taken to Chicago at once.

WENT TO JEFFERSON CITY.

Mayor Robey Took Water Bonds to That Place to Have Them Registered.

Mayor Arthur S. Robey left Thursday morning for Jefferson City, where he took the water bond issue of \$100,000 to have them registered at the state auditor's office. The bonds will then be brought back and placed in the hands of the Commerce Trust company of Kansas City, who purchased the issue. It is expected that the transfer of the water plant to the city will not be made until the latter part of next week.

GUILFORD.

Robert M. Cordill, cashier of the Bank of Guilford, was the Sunday guest of Maryville friends.

The Hocker lake is the scene of moonlight skating parties every night. Everybody seems to be enjoying this delightful sport to the limit.

Miss Lela Crockett was the winner of the gold medal in the Demarest medal contest at the Lorraine Baptist church Saturday night. A very large crowd was in attendance and an excellent program of music was given in connection with the program by the contestants.

The Epworth League of the M. E. church gave a splendid Christmas program Sunday evening under the leadership of Miss Blanche Whiteford.

Mrs. Harry Brumbaugh and daughter went to Des Moines, Ia., Monday to spend Christmas with Mr. Brumbaugh's mother, Mrs. Florence Brumbaugh.

WILL WATCH IT IN

YEAR 1913 TO BE GIVEN WELCOME AT METHODIST CHURCH.

SACRED CONCERT AT 8

All the Protestant Churches Will Join in Program, Each Pastor Giving a Fifteen-Minute Talk.

The Protestant churches of the city will have a watch night service at the First M. E. church on next Tuesday night. All of these churches will take part in the services, and the program will commence at 8 o'clock and adjournment will be taken after 12 o'clock. Everyone is cordially invited to attend. The program:

8 p. m.—Sacred concert under the leadership of H. J. Becker, choir director of the Christian church. He will be assisted by musical talent from all the churches.

9 p. m.—Devotional service. This will consist of four fifteen-minute speeches by four pastors. The general theme will be:

"The Advancement of Christianity"—Through Social Service, by Rev. Gilbert S. Cox; Through Federation, by Rev. S. D. Harkness; Through Evangelism, by Rev. C. J. Miller; Through Individual Conservation, by Rev. J. D. Randolph.

11:30—Sacred songs and prayers. 12:00—New Year's God-speed. Adjournment.

Rev. Lee Harrel, pastor of the First Baptist church, will not take part in the services, as he is to leave next week for a visit in Kentucky.

News of Society and Women's Clubs

Christmas Tree Tonight. The Hum Drum club will have a Christmas tree Thursday evening at the home of Miss Glenn Hotchkiss.

Christmas Dinner Guests. Mr. and Mrs. G. I. Reynolds of West Second street were the Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Boyer, living north of Maryville.

P. E. O. Christmas Party. Mrs. J. E. Bailey and Mrs. J. D. Richey will give a Christmas party to the P. E. O. chapter Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Bailey.

Christmas Dinner. Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Dickerson and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hartness and family were Christmas dinner guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Dickerson.

Christmas Dinner Guests. Mr. and Mrs. M. Tobin entertained at Christmas dinner Mr. and Mrs. John Tobin and daughter of DuQuoin, Ark.; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cummins and son and Charles Buhler.

Married Christmas Night.

Mr. Harry E. Hakes of Clarinda and Miss Effie M. Ankeny of New Market, Ia., were married at 6 o'clock in the evening of Christmas day at the First M. E. church, parsonage, by the pastor, Rev. Gilbert S. Cox.

Christmas Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Shoemaker, Sr., gave a family dinner Christmas day. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Shoemaker, Jr., of Oklahoma City, Mr. Oliver Bovard and Miss Esther Shoemaker.

Thursday Dinner.

Rev. and Mrs. C. H. John gave a 12 o'clock dinner Thursday. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Crane, Mr. and Mrs. Edward T. Rasmussen of Riverton, Neb.; Mrs. Belle Evans of Kansas City and Mrs. Russell H. Martin.

Elks' Christmas Dance.

One of the prettiest dances yet given at the Elks club was the one Christmas night. The room was very beautifully decorated, many Christmas bells being used, and the refreshments were also carried out in the shape of bells. The music was furnished by Glen Goff.

Sheldon Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Sheldon gave a 12 o'clock dinner Christmas day. Their guests were Rev. and Mrs. J. D. Reynolds and Mrs. Frank Owens and Mrs. Myrtle Sheldon, who is at home on the holidays from her musical.

work in Woodson institute at Richmond, Mo.

Christmas Dinner Guests. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph W. Eversole had for their guests at Christmas day dinner Mrs. M. M. Hazeltigg, Miss Ella Hazeltigg, Mr. and Mrs. John Dempsey, Jean Elizabeth Dempsey, Mrs. Alice Lake and Miss Hazel Lake.

Family Christmas Dinner.

Mrs. Theodore L. Robinson gave a dinner Christmas to her children and their families. Her guests were Mr. and Mrs. James B. Robinson and sons Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Robinson and daughters, Dr. and Mrs. Charles T. Bell.

To Be Married New Year's Eve.

A. M. Bennett, who has been in Maryville for the past fourteen months with Raines Bros., and Miss Kathryn Pearl Brown of Warsaw, Mo., are to be married at Mr. Bennett's home, in Warsaw, on New Year's eve. They will live in Bowling Green, Mo., where Mr. Bennett has purchased a jewelry store.

Robison-Rush Wedding.

A quiet wedding took place Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Robison, near Barnard, when their daughter, Lena Bernice, was married to Mr. John E. Rush, superintendent of schools at Fairfax. Only the families and a few immediate friends were present. Elder W. M. Cobb of Bedford, Ia., officiated.

Bridgets Coming to Life.

The Bridget club, which has been practically dead since the summer Chautauqua season, has been awakened by the Christmas spirit, and the arrival of several of the members from college and universities for the holidays, and a winter Chautauqua next week will be one of their best events. Miss Helen Ardery of St. Joseph, who will arrive Friday to be Miss Anna Balmum's guest, will be one of the club's guests.

Christmas Dinner.

Miss Ruth Matter, a member of the Bridget club, and Miss Ruby Currant, one of the Hum Drum girls, prepared and served 12 o'clock dinner on Christmas day to a company of nineteen relatives at the home of Miss Matter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Matter. Those in the company were Mr. and Mrs. Matter, Mr. and Mrs. John Z. Currant and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Currant, Miss Bessie Currant, Mr. and Mrs. Burr Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Smith of Colorado.

Santa Claus Good to Them.

Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Green of the Harmony church, northeast of Maryville, were the recipients of exceedingly good and useful and comfortable Christmas remembrances from the Harmony community on Christmas day. Rev. Green was given a handsome black fur overcoat and Mrs. Green was given a beautiful set of black furs. They are delighted with their gifts and the Harmony community may know their thoughtfulness is appreciated.

Christmas Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. White entertained with a Christmas dinner and tree at their home, White Meadows, southwest of town, on Christmas day. Those present were Mrs. D. C. White, Mrs. Martha Starritt of Illinois, Mr. and Mrs. Will White, Mr. and Mrs. John White and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cast, Misses Laura White and Bernice Cast. Mrs. White was assisted in entertaining by her daughters, Dorothy and Virginia, Mrs. John White and Miss Clydell White.

Hartman Family Reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Hartman had the rare pleasure of the presence of all their children at Christmas dinner on Christmas day at their home, on East Fourth street. The company included Mrs. A. C. Forney and children and Miss Clarice Hartman of Oelrichs, S. D.; Miss Frances Hartman of Hot Springs, S. D.; Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Hartman and children, Mr. and Mrs. William Hartman and children and Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Miller of Barnard; Mr. and Mrs. S. V. Westfall and son and Miss Dena Hartman of this city. Mr. Forney will arrive in Maryville Sunday night to join his family on their Christmas visit. Misses Clarice and Frances Hartman are here for the holidays from their school work in South Dakota.

A Double Wedding.

Rev. Sappentfield of the Burlington Junction M. E. church, performed a double marriage ceremony at the church in Burlington Junction Christmas evening at 6 o'clock, the ring service, the holidays from her musical.

LIKE A JUNE DAY

CHRISTMAS ONE OF THE MOST PLEASANT IN MEMORY.

MERCHANTS ARE HAPPY

Fine Christmas Trade Pleased Dealers—Exceptionally Fine Musical Programs at the Churches.

Maryville had a very pleasant Christmas and everyone seems to be full of Yuletide and cheer and happiness. The weather was fine and it was almost like a day in June. The weather man made good his promise to give a day long to be remembered.

All of the Protestant churches held Christmas eve entertainments Tuesday evening for the children. They were largely attended and a treat was given to the children, consisting of nuts and candy. The Catholic churches in the city also had services on Christmas day, and the programs of music were unusually elaborate.

After a season of rush and hustle in business houses here the day brought rest and practically all business stores were closed during the entire day. The merchants enjoyed one of the biggest trades they ever had during the Christmas season, and buyers came from a long distance. The business men are very much pleased and encouraged over the large amount of business that was done here the last month.

All of the court house officers and city offices were closed for the day.

Only one arrest was made on Christmas. Marshal Moberly picked up a man who was intoxicated. He did not give any name and said that he was a tramp.

Home for Christmas.

Mark Basford, who is employed in the offices of the Chicago Great Western railway at Waterloo, Ia., is spending the Christmas vacation with his mother, Mrs. Anna Basford.

In Superintendent's Office.

Donald Fraser, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Fraser, has accepted a position as stenographer in the offices of the superintendent of the Burlington railway at Creston, Ia. and began his work Thursday morning.

Visitors From Nebraska.

James I. Enders and family of Ponca, Neb., arrived Monday night for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Knabb. Living west of Maryville. Mrs. Enders, who is an invalid, is a granddaughter of Mr. Knabb, who is also an invalid from paralysis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ansel Burns, Mr. Orland Lewis and Mr. Gale Lewis of Conception Junction formed an auto party to Maryville Monday afternoon. Captain and Mrs. I. M. Woods are spending Christmas week in Hopkins with their son, Charles Woods, and family.

John M. Duncan of Kansas City spent Christmas day in Maryville with his parents, Prof. and Mrs. B. F. Duncan.

The Maryville Homestead and Loan Association opens its fifty-fifth series of stock January 1st, 1913.

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight and Friday; slightly colder tonight.

THANK YOU

We want to express our appreciation to our friends for the patronage they have given us in the past year. Carrying as we were a larger and more varied stock than ever before, we expected an increase in trade, but the confidence shown by you has resulted in our having the largest trade in the past year we have ever had. We wish you all a more prosperous new year, and hope for a continuation of that confidence and patronage you have so generously given in the past.

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vice being used. About sixty guests were present. The contracting parties were Miss Maud L. Keene and Mr. Harry W. Cox and Miss Letha A. Bush and Mr. Ralph R. Bannor. All live on farms in the vicinity of Burlington Junction and are well and favorably known. On Christmas eve at 6 o'clock Rev. Sappenfield had a wedding at his home, Miss Lucy E. Lee and Ernest F. King of Elmo being the contracting parties.

Guests From Clyde.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Enis of Clyde were Christmas day guests of Miss Jennie Vardie.

Meets With Mrs. Jones.

The Woman's Home Missionary society of the First M. E. church will meet Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Ada Jones. All members are urged to be present.

Christmas Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Mahoney entertained at Christmas dinner Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Dougan and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Ray and family of Ravenwood, Mrs. Julia Mahoney and daughter of Kansas City.

Christmas Dinner Guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fite of East First street entertained at Christmas day dinner Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Fite, Simon and Luther Ingram of Kansas, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Reece and Mr. and Mrs. Lee DeVore.

Christmas Dinner Party.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Miller gave a dinner at 12 o'clock on Christmas day. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Reuillard, Miss Ruth Reuillard, Miss Lena Brown, Miss Anna Brown of Jefferson City, Miss Antoinette Craig, Mr. O. G. Matthews of Liberty, Mo., and Miss Myrtle Peters of Mariaville, Neb.

Dinners for Bride and Groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Orton Porter, the Christmas day bride and groom, were entertained at 12 o'clock dinner Thursday by Mrs. I. W. Hefflin and Miss Fannie Hefflin. At 6 o'clock they will be entertained at dinner by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Leuck.

Present for the Bride.

A few of the friends in Alert Rebekah lodge of Mrs. Harry Orton Porter, who was Miss Chloe Smith until noon Christmas day, went to the Smith home Wednesday evening and presented the bride a beautiful silver berry spoon as a token of love and respect. Mrs. Smith, mother of the bride, served refreshments to the guests.

For Nebraska Guest.

Miss Mary McCall was the hostess of an informal 6 o'clock dinner Christmas evening, to honor her cousin, Miss Katharyn Hagerty of Alliance, Neb. Plates were laid for Miss Hagerty,

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Jonesboro, Ark.—"I suffered a complete break down in health, some time ago," writes Mrs. A. McGill, from this place. "I was very weak and could not do any work. I tried different remedies, but they did me no good. One day, I got a bottle of Cardui. It did me so much good, I was surprised, and took some more.

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Miss Nelle Alkire, Mr. Joseph Saunders, Mr. Will Saunders and Mr. James F. Davis of Bolckow.

Married Christmas Eve.

Miss Ruth Cook and Mr. Paul Winters of Guilford were united in marriage Christmas eve at 6 o'clock at the M. E. church, South, parsonage by the pastor, Rev. J. D. Randolph. The bride and groom were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cook and Miss Ethel Cook of this city, whose guests they are at present. Mr. and Mrs. Winters will live on a farm near Guilford.

Christmas Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lockhart, who live on the John Vert farm, eight miles northwest of Maryville, royally entertained the following guests at 12 o'clock dinner on Christmas day: Mr. and Mrs. John Vert of Maryville, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Hefflin of Wilcox, Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Guthrie and son, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Vert and son, Miss Grace Pew. The host and hostess gave their guests a happy day and were assisted in entertaining by their children.

Christmas Dinner and Tree.

Mrs. S. S. Casteel, assisted by her daughter, Miss Hazel Ritchie, gave a Christmas dinner to her children and their families on Christmas day. After dinner a beautiful Christmas tree was unveiled by the little folks that yielded bountifully of the things that bring Christmas cheer. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. George Wallace and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Green and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Mutz and son and the hostesses.

Married in St. Joseph.

Myron Sewell of Burlington Junction, a son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Sewell of this city, was married on Christmas day to Miss Juanita Cook of Mound City. They were married in St. Joseph. The young couple will make their home at Burlington Junction, where Mr. Sewell is in charge of Sewell & Carter's store.

Was Married Tuesday.

C. Del Davison of this city and Miss Margaret Christine Cain of Tarkio were married in St. Joseph Tuesday afternoon by the pastor of the First M. E. church of that city. They spent Christmas with Mr. Davison's mother, near Hopkins.

Concert Saturday Night.

The voice pupils of Mrs. J. W. McMillan will give a concert in the First Christian church of this city Saturday evening. The program will be published Friday. The concert will be free to all.

Wed at Harmony Parsonage.

Miss Edith Boyd of Gaynor and Mr. Pearl Miller of Parnell were united in marriage Tuesday afternoon at the parsonage of Harmony church, by the pastor, Rev. C. R. Green. The bride and groom were accompanied by a dozen couples of their friends.

For North Dakota Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kild of Bedison gave a 6 o'clock dinner Christmas night in honor of Misses Grace and Mary Young of Jackal, N. D., who are visiting them. There were twenty guests and the evening was spent playing various games.

Guests From Fairfax.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Miller of Fairfax were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. Miller's mother, Mrs. John W. Schroyer and Mr. Schroyer.

Surprised Their Pastor.

The Baptist Young People's Union gathered at the home of its pastor, Rev. Lee Harrel, before his return from prayer meeting Wednesday evening and were there to wish him a merry Christmas as soon as he entered

the house. Rev. Harrel was presented a bouquet of two dozen red and white carnations. The evening was spent in telling stories and jokes and playing games. The guests indulged in a cup of chocolate and wafers before their departure.

Guests From Bolckow.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Patterson of Bolckow were Christmas dinner guests of Mrs. Elizabeth French.

Guests From Red Oak.

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Olson of Red Oak, Ia., and Harry Olson of Kansas City were Christmas day guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Luppold.

Christmas Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Gile entertained at dinner Christmas Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Anderson and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Anderson.

Thursday Evening Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Forsyth will give a Christmas dinner Thursday evening. Their guests will be Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shoemaker, Jr., of Oklahoma City, Mr. and Mrs. Frank G. Shoemaker, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand M. Townsend, Miss Esther Shoemaker, Mr. Oliver Bovard.

Christmas Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Wadley entertained at dinner Christmas day Mrs. Wadley's father, Henry Hays of St. Joseph, Mrs. Lulu Harrington and Raymond Harrington of Burlington Junction, and Mr. and Mrs. Will Saylor of Burlington Junction.

Guests at Clearmont.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Richey, Mary Margaret Richey and Mr. Albert E. Bell spent Christmas day at Clearmont with Mrs. John Clary and family. Mr. Clary is gradually recovering his health, and took a 70-mile car ride with the other members of the family Christmas afternoon.

Their Fifth Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Haller, living west of town, entertained at Sunday dinner in honor of their fifth wedding anniversary a few of Mrs. Haller's former school girl friends and their husbands. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. George Y. Burris and son, who are spending the winter with Mrs. Burris, parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Blagg, south of town; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McDowell of Burlington Junction, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Taylor and son of near Maryville, Mrs. J. F. Haller and Miss Grace Haller of Wilcox.

Entertained Friends.

Glen and Hazel Bloomfield delightfully entertained a number of their friends at their home, near Pickering.

Fraser Got A Job

Yes, he began work Tuesday morning, as a stenographer in the office of the Superintendent of the C. B. & Q., at Creston, Iowa; salary good, prospects for advancement—couldn't be better. Miss Helen Logan, ex-school teacher, goes to the Free Light Co., this city, January 1. Good place of course, better than teaching ask her. Goodson Lytle, High School class of '12. We placed him with Wood & McCaslin, lawyers; Stanberry, Mo., Dec. 16. Watch "Goody" climb.

Among others recently placed—maybe you know some of them—are: Ada V. Imboden, International Harvester Co., Omaha; Marie Bleuel, Rhodes Land and Investment Co., Burlington Junction; Katie Merrigan, Albert Lea Commercial College, Albert Lea, Minn.; Anthony Blatter, Stock Yards, Denver, Colo.; Lottie Neal, United Factories Co., Kansas City; Della Briggs, Swedish Lutheran College, St. Peter, Minn.; Gladys Beedle, Field-Lippman Piano Co., Maryville; Ralph Jamison and Mark Basford, Superintendent's office, Chicago & Great Western, Waterloo; Henry Hopper, John S. Brittain Dry Goods Co., St. Joseph; Helen Trullinger, California Paint Co., San Francisco; C. O. Lyle, Blaugas Co., Omaha; Georgia Beedle, Law Stenographer, Portland; Augusta Croy, F. & M. Bank, Stanberry; and several hundred others. Space is too limited to mention them all. We can produce a list so long that you will not take time to read it.

When the last word has been said, it remains an undisputed fact that the Maryville Business College is doing the business it started out to do. Is training and placing ambitious young men and women in the very best positions all over the United States, and that there is no other school in Northwest Missouri that is in its class. The diploma of the Maryville Business College is a synonym for "efficiency in business", and is recognized in the cities by employers of the best clerical help. The Maryville Business College has no competitors in Northwest Missouri, although there is now and then a "Commercial Department" in some college or literary school. But the "Commercial Departments" are not placing anyone in positions. I say, "The Maryville Business College has no competition in Northwest Missouri. Because there is no other school delivering the same grade of goods".

To the thousand former patrons, I gladly acknowledge the zeal and interest taken in our school, and to all others who are looking for the best in business education. I am pleased to say that that the present year is our banner year, both in attendance and in the efficiency of our work, and that I can today promise greater and better results than ever before. Every detail of work now is under my personal supervision, and I know that we are getting results such as we never got before.

Our mid-winter term begins, Monday, December 30, and promises to bring a larger number of young men from the country than ever before. This is the school for the young men who can spend only two or three months, because they will get here something that will be of real benefit. While to the young man or woman who expects to prepare for professional business life, it unquestionably offers the best, and the success of the pupils who pass through it attests the utility of the instruction given.

New pupils will please report to me upstairs, after eight, Monday morning.

Respectfully,

E. S. Cook

Guests From North Dakota.

Misses Mary and Grace Young of Jackle, N. D., are visiting the families of W. W. Kidd and J. F. Kidd of Bedison.

NEW YEAR POST CARDS.

From 1c up. Crane's book and jewelry store.

Misses Mollie and Lou Henderson and Miss Bessie Webster were Christmas dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Allen and family.

Mrs. George Pat Wright spent Christmas at Graham with her father, W. G. Wilson, who has recently returned from Texas, and other relatives.

Visiting in Lawrence.

Mrs. J. C. Farrar and son, Stewart Farrar living north of Maryville, went to Lawrence, Kan., Tuesday morning to spend Christmas with Mrs. Farrar's daughter, Mrs. W. B. Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Jones went to St. Joseph Tuesday to spend Christmas with John Jones and family.

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Our invoice commences January 1, 1913. We believe we can do better by giving our trade the benefit of

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on all of our merchandise (except Diamonds, Howard and Hamilton Watches, Big Ben Alarm Clocks, and "Victor" and "Edison" goods).

Our purchases for the holidays were large, our business was large for which we thank you—but our stock is still large. Our lines are marked in plain figures. Come and see us.

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Did You Cut The Coupon?

DID you get the sample package of Northern Light Buckwheat Flour?

If not, watch for Thursday's paper! There will be one more chance to test this superfine Self-Rising Flour at our expense; the flour that saves you work, and worry and waste—

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Everybody will love to eat the pancakes because of their delicious flavor; everybody will find them wholesome and digestible; supplying the best nourishment of the most nutritious of grains, with a nutty flavor and appetizing tang.

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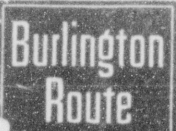


Don't You Owe Yourself a Trip to Florida?

Why don't you come in or drop me a line and find out how you can live comfortably and without too much expense in Florida this winter?

When you think that the flowers are blooming luxuriantly, and the fruit is ripening on the trees down there with the thermometer 76 degrees above at the same time it is—no telling where—here, why the idea of spending a few weeks in that country during the winter, if it can be done at moderate cost, is worth thinking about.

Now, it's my business to furnish travelers with whatever information they may wish about Florida, and if you will drop me a line I will very gladly help you all I can and be glad to do it.



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The J. M. Rice 120-acre farm, 4 1/2 miles south of Maryville, on the Savannah road, 1 1/2 miles to church, 1/4 mile to school, 7-room house, good barn and other outbuildings, fenced and cross-fenced, one of the best farms in the county. Not a rod of waste land on the place. For price and particulars inquire of the administrators.

Robert L. Rice
Pickering.

Charles H. Rice
On the place.

FOR SALE

Saturday, December 28, 1912, forty acres of timber land, 2 1/2 miles south-east of town, N. W., S. E., section 27, township 64, range 65. To be sold at the west door of the court house, Saturday, December 28, 1912, for cash, to the highest bidder. This land is the only timber left on the 102 river. The timber could be cut off and it would pay for the land. It will be a bargain for some one. Washington Hoshor's estate.

PASSENGERS AND CREW ARE LANDED

Seventy-five Persons Safely
Taken Off Steamer Turrialba.

REVENUE CUTTER AT HAND.

Seneca Provides Means for Transfer From Wreck—Boat Is Resting on Bar and May Yet Be Saved—Passengers Greatly Alarmed.

New York, Dec. 26.—The fifty-seven passengers and eighteen of the crew of the United Fruit company's steamship Turrialba, ashore since Tuesday at Briganthe shoals, nine miles north of Atlantic City, N. J., arrived here on board the United States revenue cutter Seneca.

The cutter had stood by the stranded vessel all night, and the sea was smooth and the weather fair when the transfer was made and the passengers experienced little discomfort.

According to reports brought here, the Turrialba lies with propeller damaged, stern post cracked and rudder missing. With good weather the vessel will be saved, it is expected, though its cargo of bananas may have been tossed overboard.

Prepare for Drowning.

According to stories told by passengers upon reaching here, many of them prepared for death by drowning after the Turrialba, steaming through a snowstorm on its way from Panama, West Indies, to New York, grounded on the Jersey sands.

"We were reconciled to our fate," narrated Police Inspector Edward Hughes of this city, returning with his wife from a trip in search of health. "We talked about the Titanic, and we can now appreciate something of what the poor passengers on that ill-fated ship experienced."

"Everyone prayed when the storm was at its height, and those who had wives, we—well, you can think it over for yourselves, young men," he said to reporters.

"I think we struck the sandbar at 3:55 in the morning. I, among others, came out on deck to see what was the cause of the peculiar situation—the ship apparently quivering as if she was going to break. The weather was thick. It was snowing and the wind from the northeast."

EXULTATION OVER PEACE

Prediction That War Never Will Occur Again Between Anglo-Saxon People.

Belfast, Ireland, Dec. 26.—In celebration of the ninety-eighth anniversary of peace between the United States and the British empire expressions of appreciation were made by many of the leading public men in Great Britain, the United States and Canada.

Earl Grey, former governor general of Canada, wrote: "The hundred years' peace has been of untold value to the political and social development alike of Great Britain, the United States, and the Canadian dominion. We hope to have a worthy celebration of the event two years hence."

The Earl of Meath wrote: "War between the two great branches of the Anglo-Saxon race let us firmly believe to be an impossibility in the future. Such a belief will go far to make it impossible."

G. W. Wickham, United States attorney general wrote: "The peace established between us nearly a century ago has now become not only a habit, but a condition, one which it is unthinkable should ever be altered."

WEDDING ENDS IN TRAGEDY

Man Invades Home of Wife's Mother and Begins Shooting.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 26.—A Christmas wedding ceremony at Taylorville, Ill., was converted into a tragedy and two persons are at the point of death. John Belter, a carpenter, to avenge some grievance he is said to have entertained against his wife, shot his mother-in-law, Mrs. Emma Fisher, and battled with the Taylorville police. He was cornered and caught by a ruse. When captured it was found that Belter had been shot near the heart by one of the officers. Mrs. Fisher and Belter will die.

Mrs. Mollie Porter and Paul Porter left Tuesday morning for a short visit with relatives at St. Joseph and Hlawatha, Kan.

INDIANS WIN CROP PRIZES

Results Attributed Largely to Work of Agricultural Experts.

Washington, Dec. 26.—Officials of the Indian bureau are much pleased because at the state fair at Muskogee, Okla., a number of full blood Indians won prizes over their white competitors for exhibits of corn, cotton, beans and some other products.

Joe Kelly, a full blood Mississippi Choctaw, living near Ardmore, took first and fourth prizes for his corn and a second prize for cotton, and Silas Bacon of the same tribe carried off both first and second prizes for his fine field beans. There were other scattered prizes.

"These good results we can attribute largely to the work the expert farmers have been doing," said Acting Commissioner Abbott. "We are hoping to extend the work of these experts, who are teaching the Indian how to make the best use of his land."

Orozco's Freedom of Short Duration.

San Antonio, Dec. 26.—Colonel Pascual Orozco, father of General Pascual Orozco, leader of the Mexican revolution in the north, was released from confinement in the military prison at Fort Sam Houston, under bonds of \$2,500, on the charge of violating the neutrality laws. He was immediately rearrested by the civil authorities on a warrant in which the Mexican government charges him with larceny and robbery, alleged to have been committed in Chihuahua.

Mr. Jesse Walker of Mound City was a Christmas day guest of Miss Marie Myers.

Mrs. Eunice Graves and daughter, Miss Bess, went to Kansas City Tuesday morning for a Christmas visit with Mrs. Floyd Wiley and family.

The Best is What Every- body Wants Nowadays

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John Morrell's A No. 1 quality Bacon, selected lean pieces, per lb... 17c
100-lb sack fine Granulated Sugar for... \$4.00
21 lbs fine Granulated Sugar... \$1.00
Bushel No. 1 Cooking Apples for... 75c
Half bushel Turnips for... 25c
Very best grade Cabbage, 100 lbs \$1.10
Very best grade Cabbage, 50 lbs... 60c
Silver Thread Brand Sour Kraut, per gal... 18c
New Sour Pickles, large size, gal. 25c
Diamond C Soap, 10 bars for... 25c
Mammoth Queen Olives, pint... 25c
Pearl Hominy, 8 lbs for... 25c
20 lbs fine Oregon Prunes for... \$1.00
Quart bottles Maple Syrup... 22c
Half gallon pails Country Sorghum 30c
Quart cans Pork and Beans, tomato dressing, for... 10c
Joe Campbell's Red and White Table Beans, 20c cans for... 11c
VanCamp's Early Red Beets, quart can for... 8c
Choice quality Sugar Corn, 2 cans 15c; dozen cans... 65c
allion cans Log Cabin Maple Syrup, \$1.35 value for... \$1.00
(Limit one can to customer.)
500 lbs best quality Mince Meat, lb 10c
FANCY CREAM HIGH PATENT FLOUR, sack, \$1.05; cwt... \$2.05
GOLD COIN FLOUR, per cwt, \$2.15; sack... \$1.10
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PUBLIC SALE

The following described property will be sold at the residence of the late A. L. Morford, 1 1/2 miles southeast of Pickering, Missouri, on

Monday, December 30

17 HEAD OF STOCK—1 Span of gray mares, smooth mouths, bred to Percheron horse; 1 7-year-old mare, bred to Percheron; 1 4-year-old horse, weight about 1,400; 1 saddle pony, safe for children, and 1 yearling horse colt. 2 registered Shorthorn milch cows, 3 coming 3-year-old heifers, eligible to registry and all giving milk, 3 heifer calves, 1 male calf. 4 brood sows. FARM IMPLEMENTS, ETC.—Wagon, buggy, corn planter, mowing machine, disc harrow, cultivator, stalk cutter, harrow, hay rake, hay rack, stirring plow, bobsled, grindstone, 1 set work harness, 1 set single harness, and other articles too numerous to mention. 25 shocks of fodder and corn, 75 bushels of oats, 1 straw stack, 6 tons of hay, 425 bushels of corn.

TERMS—Sums of \$10 and under cash; sums over \$10, a credit of nine months will be given, purchaser giving bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. No property to be removed until settled for. Lunch by the Ladies' Aid.

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Maryville, Mo.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Crawford of Sheridan spent Christmas in the city with Mr. Crawford's brother, W. H. Crawford.

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I have just accepted an agency that protects all ins., any where, all the time, at minimum cost. Fire, theft, accident and property damage. No man can afford a car without protection. See me now.

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LAWS THAT LABOR WANTS

State Bureau Gets Demand from
79,814 Workers.

SEEK EIGHT-HOUR ENACTMENT

Jefferson City, Dec. 26.—With a view of establishing what legislation was wanted and needed by the 79,814 members of organized labor in Missouri, from the Forty-seventh general assembly, the bureau of labor statistics early in the present year sent a blank to the secretary of each union in the state asking the question:

"What specific state legislation would be beneficial to your membership as applied to your occupation?" Answers came from every union and the work of compiling this information has just been completed and is ready to be placed before the legislature when it convenes on Jan. 8 next.

Commissioner Biggs recommends the following legislation, the same being reproduced as it will appear in the report to be submitted to the general assembly:

Women's Nine-Hour Law—The women's nine-hour law should be amended as to cover every industry of the state.

Factory Inspection—An amendment should be adopted abolishing the fee system for factory inspection and making the law cover the entire state.

Roads—The better class of prison labor should be used building good roads.

Pay in Lawful Money—A law should be passed requiring all wages to be paid in lawful money.

Employers' Liability and Workmen's Compensation Laws—A law should be enacted giving workmen pay for all accidents.

Label Prison Goods.

Label Prison-Made Goods—All articles made in any penal institution of the state should be stamped "Prison Made."

Six-Day Week—A law should be passed prohibiting the working of men more than six days in any one week, excepting in emergency cases.

State Free Employment Office—A state free employment bureau should be established in Joplin, through which, in addition to the free employment, could be secured manufacturing and labor reports from the southern part of the state.

Municipalities to Buy Prison-Made Articles—A law should be passed requiring the municipalities of the state to buy articles from the prison whenever possible, to the end that there will be a sufficient demand for penitentiary-made goods to keep all prisoners at work. Unless this is done the law passed by the Forty-sixth general assembly abolishing the present convict-leasing system will be a failure.

A working day of eight hours for all occupations seems to be the legislation on which most members of organized labor agree.

WARINGA BACK TO PEN

Devoted Wife Fails to Reform Paroled Convict.

Kansas City, Dec. 26.—Despite the untiring devotion of a wife, who met and married him in the Missouri penitentiary and since has devoted time and money to his reformation, Harry Van Waringa must return to prison to serve out an eight-year sentence for forgery.

"A perfectly developed case of constitutional immorality" was the opinion announced by two alienists appointed by Judge Porterfield to inquire into Van Waringa's sanity. Through correspondence and personal appeals, Mrs. Van Waringa, formerly Miss Ethel Faskin, stenographer to Cornelius Roach, secretary of state, obtained Van Waringa's parole last November.

Since his parole he has been arrested twice for petty thefts.

Bogus Mince Meat Seized.

Kansas City, Dec. 26.—A local deputy United States marshal seized twelve barrels, containing 720 gallons of stuff, labeled "mince meat." Analysis by the government pure food department showed it had no meat in it, but consisted of currants and chopped apples with some kind of a filler that looked and smelled like mince meat.

Guilty of \$3,500,000 Land Fraud.

Portland, Ore., Dec. 26.—R. H. MacWhorter, a Seattle real estate broker, pleaded guilty before United States Judge Bean to using the mails to defraud in connection with the \$3,500,000 De Larm Columbia river orchard swindle. The maximum sentence is five years and a fine of \$5,000.

Bicycle Race Arranged.

Kansas City, Dec. 26.—A six-day bicycle race, in which some of the best riders in the country will participate, will start in Convention hall, in this city, Jan. 28, according to an announcement here.

T. A. Dunn is Dead.

Bethany, Mo., Dec. 26.—T. A. Dunn, aged fifty-nine years, prominent in Democratic politics and one of the best known Masons in Missouri, died in a hospital in Rochester, Minn. The body will be brought here for burial.

BOMB TRIAL NEARING END

District Attorney Miller Continues
His Attack Upon Kern.

WOULD NOT HURT STEEL TRUST

Miller Ridicules Statement Made by Senator That Explosions Could Not Damage Independent Contractors.

Indianapolis, Dec. 26.—Forty men, accused of complicity in the McNamara plots, listened to attacks upon themselves by District Attorney Charles W. Miller.

Mr. Miller detailed to the jury the story of the Los Angeles Times explosion and again referred to Senator John W. Kern, who had argued before the jury for the defense.

"Senator Kern has said that in the strike of the iron workers' union against open shop contracts it would not have been to the advantage of those men to blow up jobs," said Mr. Miller. "Senator Kern has said the jobs were those of the steel trust and it would not hurt the steel trust with its millions to damage their property. Think of a United States senator making a statement like that in a court of justice! How much money does it take to induce United States senators to make statements like that?"

"With a United States senator as counsel," continued Mr. Miller, "these defendants, a month after this trial began, published in the union magazine an article calling the trial a farce. They described a trial in the federal court as a farce! Listen to this. After referring to the indictment of these men, they published this:

"Then began the farce of a trial, a trial in which the steel trust masquerades as the government."

"And yet, when I offered to give twenty minutes of my time so that any of these lawyers might get up and say two of their clients were not guilty, no one responded. Not a lawyer dared to say two of the defendants were innocent."

The end of what has been called the most important trial of its kind ever held in the federal courts will approach tonight. Judge Anderson will instruct the jury, probably tomorrow morning. The cases of the forty men labor officials probably will then be in the hands of the jury.

EUROPEAN CROP FIGURES

Production of Sugar Beets is Larger Than Last Year.

Washington, Dec. 26.—The international institute of agriculture at Rome has reported to the department of agriculture on the year's crop figures. According to the institute the production in Germany was: Wheat, 169,227,000 bushels; rye, 436,608,000 bushels; oats, 665,959,000 bushels, and barley, 159,927,000 bushels.

Austria produced in wheat, 69,640,000 bushels; rye, 117,114,000 bushels; oats, 167,423,000 bushels, and barley, 78,284,000 bushels.

In ten European countries and Canada the production of sugar beets was 136 per cent of last year's production, but although the production of cotton is estimated by the institute to be more than 9,000,000,000 pounds in the United States, India, Japan and Egypt, this amount is nearly 4 per cent less than last year's crop.

MAN DEAD, BUT TRAIN IS SAFE

Santa Fe Employee Falls Into Quicksand Before Cars Meet with Disaster.

Streator, Ill., Dec. 26.—Henry Luke, while employed as a track man on the Santa Fe, near the W. I. mine, on the outskirts of Streator, was engulfed when the earth under his feet gave way and he was precipitated into quicksand, which had begun to fall in to the mine workings below. Luke's companions were nearby, but he disappeared before they could reach him. Later a man was lowered by a rope into the hole, but he failed to locate Luke. Shortly after the mishap a Santa Fe passenger train came along, but was halted in time to prevent a disaster. The roadbed had been insecure at this point for several days.

LOEB TO JOIN GUGGENHEIMS

Will Resign His Post as Collector of Port of New York.

New York, Dec. 26.—William Loeb, Jr., former secretary to President Roosevelt, who has been collector of the port of New York since the last Roosevelt administration, is to resign his post early in the new year to accept an administrative position in the Guggenheim mining enterprises and development projects, according to a report published here. It is said that a salary larger than the \$12,000, which he receives at his government post, was in prospect and that from the headquarters in New York Mr. Loeb would direct the work of the Guggenheim companies in many parts of the world.

Utah Proposes Sterilization of Insane.

Salt Lake, Dec. 26.—Wholesale sterilization of persons unfit to have offspring is advocated in the biennial report of the state board of insanity and the superintendent of the State Mental hospital, which was filed with the governor.

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Suspects Confronted by Engineer, Fireman and Express Messenger.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 26.—"We have the goods" on one of these men," said Chief Detective Cain, after Jack Hart, one of Chicago and Elmer Vigus of Springfield, held in connection with the attempted robbery of the Alton "Hummer," had been confronted by Engineer McClaughlin, Fireman Sullivan and Express Messenger Ayer of the train. Cain said that later in the day he might tell which of the two he had definitely connected with the case.

Bonfires Will Greet Wilson on Trip.

Staunton, Va., Dec. 26.—With all of the arrangements practically completed, Staunton, the birthplace of Woodrow Wilson, enthusiastically awaits the arrival of its distinguished son tomorrow night, which will mark the beginning of the celebration in honor of his home-coming. The city is in gala attire for the celebration. Probably the most spectacular feature of the celebration will be the heralding of the distinguished visitor by the glare of bonfires.

Taft Inspects Panama Canal.

Panama, Dec. 26.—President Taft spent the forenoon inspecting the central and Pacific divisions of the Panama canal, the Culebra cut and the fortifications at the Pacific end of the canal. Percival H. Dodge, the American minister to Panama, entertained the president at dinner. Last night Mr. Taft attended a ball given by President Perrez.

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